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POETRY.

[Written for the Advertiser.]

Anticipation.

BY S. ALMA PENDEXTER.

With eager hand the voyager
An hundred times close shades his eye,
Thinking to see in surety
The homeland point and harbor nigh.
In fancy, oft he gains the strand,
As oft, disheartened, turns away
From shores where nearer view reveals
But foreign lands and unknown bay.
At last loved native hills appear
And, gleaming thro' the morning haze,
Long watched for spires, gold tipped, shine out
In vain to fix his weary gaze.
In vain hands reach in welcome fond,
Answering not, he heavy sleeps.
And, when aroused, looks on the town
As one who dreams; nor laughs, nor weeps.
So oft some cherished heart-desire
Repeats itself to fancy's eye,
Till old it seems and calm we view
Its open lands when they are nigh.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENT.

Second Thoughts.

Supper was over at the Cove, and the rough pine tables were cleared of their burden of nondescript dishes—wooden, tin, and china. Neat-handed Phyllises in tasteful camp costume swept away the fragments of the feast, while lazy men lounged in hammocks and looked on with approving eyes. Fresh logs were heaped on the dying fire, and the noisy crackling flames leaped up in vain emulation of the moon rising nightly behind the trees, and fell back in despair at their defeat.

The gleam and shadow of the firelight danced fitfully over the face and figure of a slender maiden who stood buried in thought, like a modern dryad, beneath an old oak tree. Her white chin, and brown, clasped hands rested on the top of a broom she had just been wielding with more energy than skill. Near her stood a young man regarding her fixedly. These two had been chosen companions during their fortnight in camp, and the acquaintance begun but a few days ago had ripened fast into friendship. But to-night a new feeling stirred the young man's heart, holding him back, yet urging him foward, as he watched the slim girlish figure with its lines of unspoiled symmetry, and marked, half-unconsciously, the careless yet graceful attitude of this nut-brown maid.

The party had broken up into groups of two and three, who wandered deep into the fragrant pine woods, or drifted in light canoes across the golden glory of the moonlight on the water. The older people betook themselves to their tents with books and cards, and the two were left alone.

Percy shook off his dreamy mood and came to where Eleanor was standing.

"Will you let me have a little talk with you?" he asked, half boldly, half entreatingly.

Eleanor turned with a flash of dark eyes and a bright smile.

"Have you much to say?" she asked, carelessly, "for in that case I may as well make myself comfortable."

"Very much, if you will be good enough to listen," and the emphasis of the reply brought a flush to Eleanor's brown cheek.

She walked slowly over to a moss-covered log and sat down, resting her head against a tree, while Percy threw himself down at her feet, and turned his face towards the fire.

Silence followed—a silence which both found it hard to break. Percy lit a cigarette and smoked for a few moments, then restlessly threw it away from him and began abruptly.

"I wish I had known you before, Miss Gordon."

"Why?" she asked simply.

"Because my life would not have been such a failure if I had you to help me."

This was the old orthodox method of beginning a flirtation, but Eleanor was inexperienced and felt a dangerous throb of pity.

"Do you need help?" she asked gently, feeling a sudden impulse—such as even the most carefully-trained damsel will sometimes feel—to touch the brown waves of hair so near her hand. But the thought "What would he think of me?" restrained her fortunately.

"God knows I do" said Percy, with a sudden vehemence that startled her. "I have made a wretched muddle of a mistake, and must pay for it with a lifetime's unhappiness. Forgive me" he added, seeing that she was startled; "I did not mean to speak so, but your sympathy compelled me."

"What have you done?" she asked, striving to keep her voice cool and steady but inwardly trembling at the changed, husky tones of the man beside her.

He turned his face towards her, and his eyes were wet, and his mouth trembled a little as he answered:

"I cannot tell you now, Eleanor. Will you not trust me? Will you be my friend, and help me with your sympathy?"

"What is it you are asking of me?" cried the girl. "You are speaking in riddles and I cannot understand you."

Percy raised himself and knelt beside her, the firelight shining in his handsome face. He took both her trembling hands in his and said, gently:

"Fate has been very hard to me, Eleanor. I am not my own master, and the chains I have borne with patience seem very heavy to me to-night. Sometime—it will not be long, I hope—sometime I shall win my freedom, and then I shall come to you——"

"Stop! Stop!" cried Eleanor, pulling her hands away from him. "You must not talk so to me. I hear voices—the others are coming."

"I shall come to you," he repeated steadily, "and tell you—what I dare not tell you now. Till then, dear, may I not be your friend? Will you not trust in me, and believe in me, and let me get what comfort I can from your friendship, until—until I dare ask for more?"

Nearer and nearer came the sounds of laughter and singing, the pleading voice died away, the brown eyes gazed into hers, and Eleanor, frightened, fascinated, could only murmur "Yes," as with shouts of merriment the scattered groups returned from wood and river to gather around the camp-fire for an evening "sing."

Two days later, when the camp broke up, Percy came to the station to see Eleanor safely started on her way to Bar Harbor. As he said good-bye, he put into her hands a big bunch of dewy pansies, and around the stems was twisted a slip of paper with the words—

> "There's pansies, that's for thoughts,
> I pray you, love—remember."

At Bar Harbor, where Eleanor went to spend a month with a friend, she was an acknowledged queen of her set, and in the busy succession of tennis parties, yachting excursions, walks, rides, and drives which fill up summer life at Mount Desert, she was everywhere the central figure, and enjoyed it all with a child-like abandon. Men raved over the fresh beauty of this young girl, with her sweet, sincere eyes and cordial smile, girls envied her air of distinction, and the proud, careless charm of her manner. Children flocked around her, sure of a hearty welcome and genuine sympathy, and older people admired and loved the sweet simplicity of nature that kept her unspoiled amid this universal homage. Men vied with each other to do her pleasure, but the memory of a pair of brown eyes and a pleading voice still haunted her, and would not be forgotten. To each and all she was cool as the pansies she always wore at her throat and breast. A frozen flower, some called her, piqued and provoked at her imperturnable calm.

"You are an iceberg," said her friend Kate to her one night, as the two girls sat brushing out their hair before the open fire in their dressing-room.

"Now, why should you say that?" said Eleanor, roused to protest at this attack.

"It says itself," retorted Kate. "Here you are with the nicest and most popular fellow at Bar Harbor perfectly devoted to you and you treat him as if he was your—your brother."

Kate was a coquette to her finger-tips, and could not understand indifference to any man, especially an athletic young Scotchman with merry blue eyes and a ringing laugh, and, best of all, an unincumbered rent-roll.

Eleanor laughed aloud. "All men are brothers," she quoted demurely; "and when I say man I mean to embrace women, as our old school teacher used to say."

"No man will ever embrace you if you treat them too much like brothers," was Kate's Parthian arrow, but the shot failed of effect, for Eleanor only laughed again as she bent to kiss her friend good-night.

Truly, Keith Campbell was a man fitted to win any girl's heart, with his bright face and bonny blue eyes, and frank, joyous manner that won all hearts and made him the popular favorite among the rather exclusive summer residents at Bar Harbor. Everyone petted the handsome, boyish fellow, and the girls all voted him "simply adorable;" but from the time of Eleanor's advent his devotion to her had been exclusive, and in vain were glances cast upon him that formerly never failed to win a smile in return.

Eleanor did not try to hide her liking for the blithe young fellow. She treated him like a brother, as Kate had complained, but Keith's hopeful disposition led him to interpret her evident friendliness as encouragement, and he waited in blissful security for the time when he should speak and claim his own. Opportunities for meeting were numerous. They drove side by side over the rough mountain roads in the primitive buck-board; they played matches at tennis, wherein Keith generously allowed Eleanor to win; they made the discovery that they pulled together perfectly in a boat, and that Eleanor's banjo made a delightful accompaniment to Keith's clear tenor when they were out on the water in the long summer evenings. The mischief did not take long to work for Cupid's wings are not clipped at Bar Harbor, and one evening on the rocks by the shore, Keith poured out his ardent soul to the girl he loved and begged her to make him a happy man.

Eleanor sat very still and cold. She liked the eager-hearted boy, and dreaded to give him pain, but she could not love him, she thought, as the haunting memory of another face rose up before her.

"It cannot be Mr. Campbell," she said slowly, twisting her handkerchief nervously around her fingers. "Do not ask me for what I cannot give you."

Keith's bright face fell, and a shadow of pain came into his blue eyes.

"You cannot be in earnest?" he urged though his voice had lost his hopeful ring. "Surely in time you will learn to love me, and I can wait—I will wait."

"Indeed, it is no use," sighed Eleanor, remorsefully, feeling a strange thrill of compassion for him. Poor boy, why must she give him nothing but sorrow when he offered her his love and his life?

"Have you been playing with me?" he asked slowly and with set lips. "Are you—engaged, Eleanor?"

She bent her head to hide her flushed face as she answered:

"No, Mr. Campbell, I am not engaged. You have mistaken me—I do not love you—that is all." She spoke with a queer little catch in her breath.

"All!" echoed Keith, and his face was almost stern in its gravity as he took her back to the cottage, and with a formal "Good evening" left her.

The next morning a letter lay on Eleanor's plate at the breakfast table.

"Have you heard the news?" it ran. "Tom Percy's engagement to his rich cousin is declared at last, and people say they have been engaged a year at least. He is poor as poverty, you know, and everybody says he is after her money, while she, poor thing, is awfully in love with him."

Eleanor's very heart was sick as she read the words. "I don't believe it," she said to herself, yet knew she did believe it. But a voice rang in her ears: "Will you not trust me, Eleanor?" And with feverish haste she wrote:

Dear Mr. Percy—Is it true, as I hear that your engagement to your cousin is announced? If it is, please let me be among the first to congratulate you."

ELEANOR GORDON.

The note was sent, and for the next few days Eleanor showed herself in a new light. The old, sweet calm was gone, and wilful caprice reigned in its stead. Keith did not appear, and she flirted and jested with other men in a way most unlike herself and which roused grave suspicions in Kate's curly head. "Eleanor has refused him, and she is sorry for it," the astute young lady reasoned, but she has the wisdom to refuse interference. Eleanor wore no pansies now, but deep red Jacques burned with an angry glow over heart, as heart's ease gave place to wrath in her breast.

At length the answer came, and she hurried with it to her room. "Dear Miss Gordon," it began. "I dare not tell you what is in my heart to-night. Fate is too strong for me, and I am miserable. The story you have heard is true, but I beg you will forgive me and not take away the treasure of your friendship. I never needed it so much as now, and I cannot bear to give it up."

Eleanor read the pitiful, weak words with blazing eyes, and sprang to her feet.

"To think that any man should dare to treat me like that!" and, yielding to a sudden impulse of indignation and scorn, she wrote rapidly:—

Dear Mr. Percy;—I congratulate you on the skill with which you conduct two flirtations at once, and the assurance with which you offer me the position of second lady in the little comedy. It is a pity such good acting should be spoiled by an anti-climax, for assuredly you cut but a sorry figure in the denouncement of your plot. E. GORDON.

It was evening, and the cool sea breezes fanned her hot forehead, lifting the curly rings of dark hair from her temples. Out on the lawn she heard the voices of men and maidens laughing as if the world was all sunshine. "I shall never laugh like that again," she thought as she leaned her aching head against her chair. "Keith would not have acted so," she said to herself, as her anger began to give way to sorrow, and hot tears rose to her eyes. She did not stop to ask herself if thoughts of Keith or Percy brought them there. "Eleanor!" called a voice from the lawn. She dashed away the tears and went to the window. "What is it?" she asked.

"Mr. Campbell is going to take us out in a yacht to see the fires on Green Mountain," answered Kate. "Hurry up and put on your things or we shall be late."

She hesitated a moment, then threw a fleecy white wrap over her head and shoulders, and came down stairs in answer to the summons. She had never looked more lovely. Her eyes gleamed like stars beneath a cloud of dark hair, while anger and indignation gave a crimson glow to the brown cheeks and a defiant pose to the beautiful head Keith's heart beat high as she came forward with her proud sweet face, but sank again at the careless "Good evening," which was all the greeting she vouchsafed to him.

An hour later the yacht was drifting idly with the tide, the wind having died out. Other yachts in the harbor were illuminated, for it was a gala night. Rockets shot into the air, falling in a rain of brilliant colors. Red and blue lights burned on sea and shore, and strains of music softened by distance, came over the water. On the right the red glow from the burning mountain shone in the sky, and was reflected in the sea, while slowly on the horizon rose the full harvest moon, the same moon that only a month ago shone on Percy's face and heard his pleading voice. What did she see now? By the side of the yacht, in the shadow of sail, stood Eleanor with downcast face and nervously working hands, while beside her, his speaking face instinct with love's eloquence stood Keith Campbell. "Eleanor," he said, "I am going away to-morrow, but I could not go without seeing you once more. Dear Eleanor" the clear voice faltered—"can you not love me."

The words were simple and few, but they thrilled with the unmistakable ring of true and deep feeling.

"What a fool I have been," thought Eleanor. "This man is faithful and true, he loves me and I—yes, I love him."

As if in a dream she heard the earnest voice, "Eleanor, Eleanor!" and turning with a shy, sweet smile she laid both her hands in his.—*Chicago Tribune.*

An Ignorant Scholar.

No defence need ever have been made for the study of "the classics," if graduates had always understood that these are helps and means to a liberal education, instead of making them the main thing. As a mental dicipline and as immensely enriching one's knowledge of his own language, and his *power* of language, the study and drill in the Latin and Greek is an invaluable privilege to every true scholar and every worker in the "learned professions." The trouble is that too many college students have allowed these studies to take the place of a common school education, and have thus brought their classic acquirements into contempt, as they simply present a spectacle of "learned ignorance" when tested in actual business. Accordingly we can understand Horace Greeley's disdain of "liberally educated" young men. He has tried some of them, and found them wanting. An anecdote told by the Hon. Oliver H. Smith, of Indiana, illustrates the foolish mistake we have spoken of.

"The student" (of law) "should have a good sound English education. He should spell well, read well and write well, and understand the principles of English grammar. The higher branches may be added, but I do not hold that in this country a knowledge of the dead languages and a familiarity with the classics is *essential* to the student, not even to his success as a practitioner although I do not object to their study where a favorable opportunity is afforded. But I do not mean to say that I have known many graduates from colleges who were so deficient in the English department of their education as to be disqualified for students in my office.

"A fine looking young man called upon me one day, desiring to study law with me. I inquired of him as to his education.

"'I am a graduate of an Eastern college,' said he. 'I understand Latin, Greek and Hebrew; I stood number two in a large class.'

"'Do you spell well?'

"'I presume so, but I never thought much of that.'

"'Spell balance.'

"'B-a-l bal, l-a-n-c-e lance, balance.'

"'That won't do. Do you read well?'

"'Certainly.'

"'Read this.'

"'My name is Norval *on* the Grampan Hills'——

"'What was his name *off* the Grampan Hills? Do you write well?'

"'No, I never could write much of a hand. Indeed, I never tried to learn. Our great men out East can scarcely write their names so they can be read.'

"'Let me see you write.'

"He scratched off some caricatures looking like turkey-tracks.

"That is sufficient. Your education is too imperfect for a lawyer. The dead languages may be dispensed with, but spelling, reading and writing cannot be.

"I advised him to go to one of our common schools and begin his education over again and he might yet qualify himself for the study of law."—*Youth's Companion.*

[Written for the Advertiser.]

Concerning Florida.

BY REV. J. C. ANDREWS.

MR. EDITOR:—I was reminded of my promise to write an article on Florida by your notice a short time since. It also reminded me of how easy it is to neglect fulfilling a promise when there is no set time for its fulfillment.

Last October myself and daughter took passage for Florida in the ill-fated steamer, City of Columbus, but not on her fatal trip. We made a short stop at Savannah (and most agreeably so) finding many places of interest, especially Forsyth Park, the principal one in the city, and Bonaventure, three miles out.

Many travelers after returning to their homes regret their failure to make the most of their opportunities. A small expenditure at the proper time, and a few leisure moments wisely utilized, often leave pleasant reflections and stores of knowledge by which others may be edified. Such will be the result in spending a day in Savannah on the way to Florida. We are often too much like the Irishman who would not pick up the quarter but would wait till he found them plentier. We too frequently neglect the present, anticipating greater opportunities in the future when everything shall be adjusted to our minds. We should remember that the millenium is still in the future, and we should strive therefore to make the present approach as near it as possible. As we started on our journey my daughter said, "I am going to enjoy every moment and make the most of the journey."

The ocean trip from Boston to Savannah is 980 miles. There is an inland steamer route from Savannah to Jacksonville, but by rail is the most popular route, distance 172 miles. The Boston steamers leave Nickerson's wharf every Thursday at 3 p. m. They are due in Savannah Sunday evening, but usually arrive Monday. Cabin fare with stateroom, berth and meals twenty-five dollars. Nothing is saved by buying tickets further than Jacksonville, and it often proves a great inconvenience, as you may wish to take some other line of boats up the St. John's.

There is so much to write about that it becomes difficult to mark out a course for a single article, but we will begin by telling what nearly everybody knows.

Ponce de Leon while on a voyage to the Bahama Islands in search of the wonderful fountain which was said to impart immortal youth, discovered an unknown land whose forests were adorned with flowers. The discovery occuring Sunday before Easter (which the Spaniards called *Pasqua Florida*, or Flowery Easter, from the flowers with which the churches are decorated on that day) he gave the name of Florida to the country. He landed on the coast near the present site of St. Augustine. This is the most ancient city of North America. It contains many interesting objects, though many of its old landmarks are being removed. It is situated thirty five miles south of Jacksonville, and fifteen miles east of the St. John's River. It has four good schools, of which two are supported by the Peabody fund. The old Spanish Cathedral was completed in 1793, at a cost of $16,000. Its quaint Moorish belfry, with four bells, which are set in separate niches, together with the clock forms a complete cross.

The Governor's Palace is now used as Post-Office, Custom House and Public Library. The wall opposite the United States Barracks which received the "Date Palm" tree, is said to be the oldest wall in the city. A home for the aged colored people is located on Bronson Street, near King, which was endowed by Buckingham Smith. East of the Confederate monument stands an odd structure, used a few years ago for a meat market, but now withheld from such desecration, perhaps to perpetuate it in honor of its sacred use before the war, as an auction room for the sale of human beings.

South of the United States Barracks is a burying ground where the remains of Major Dade and his one hundred and seven soldiers who were massacred by the Indians, when on their way to Withlacooche River to join General Clinch. After the battle the wounded were killed and scalped, and the victors danced a war dance over the battle ground, and then left the dead as they had fallen.

Fort Marion is considered a fine spec- [illegible] walls towering twenty feet high, enclosing an area of about sixty yards spuare. It was begun in 1696 and completed in 1756. It is considered the oldest fortification in the United States. The Appallachian Indians were employed on it for more than sixty years. It is said that the King of Spain in one of his letters to the Governor of St. Augustine, wrote, "it almost cost its weight in gold. A few such would ruin my kingdom."

To give any extensive description of St. Augustine would make an article too lengthy, with its lovely gardens, groves, walks, beautiful shade trees of magnolia, oaks, Pride of India, etc. The famous rose tree of Mr. Olivero, St. George street near the city gates, is fifteen feet high, and twenty one inches in circumference.

The St. John's is the principal river of the state, and is characterized by the Indians as "We-la-ka," meaning, "It has its own way." It flows north four hundred miles, until it reaches Jacksonville; thence east twenty miles until it reaches the Atlantic Ocean. Its real source is not known but is formed by numerous streams which take their rise in the unexplored regions of the Everglades. It is almost a succession of lakes from Jacksonville to Palatka, a distance of seventy five miles. Some of the river boats from Jacksonville make their terminus here at Palatka, though most of them continue as far as Enterprise, the county seat of Volusia, a distance of two hundred miles. Other boats of smaller dimensions connect here and continue up the river.

Perhaps no place in Florida has so many attractions as the St. John's River with its tropical appearance, stately cypresses, magnolias, palmettoes, vineclad trees, flowers innumerable and cities with their natural and artistic beauty.

Jacksonville is the first and most important city on the St. John's and is the chief rendevous for Northerners in winter. It has everything necessary for a pleasant and healthy home in winter, but farther up the river it is more healthy in summer.

Mandarin, Duval County, is fifteen miles from Jacksonville, on the east bank of the river. This is the winter home of Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, with forty acres of land and a small and flourishing orange grove. This place was once the scene of a dreadful massacre by the Seminole Indians. Just beyond can be seen the wreck of the Federal transport, "Maple Leaf" destroyed by a tornado during the war. Orange Park, Magnolia, Green Cove Springs, Florence, Federal Point, and Dancey's Landing are places of more or less interest on the river.

Palatka is a city of a few thousand inhabitants beautifully located on the immediate west bank of the river. Its advantages for travel are unsurpassed, having an ocean steamer plying between it and Charleston, S. C., together with all the river boats. Large schooners are also often seen at the wharves. It has in addition to the above direct railroad communication with Jacksonville and Gainesville. It is not easily excelled in tropical loveliness, having oaks and magnolias more than four feet in diameter, with their gray moss hanging from their limbs, pampas grasses, cape myrtle and innumerable other tropical plants flourishing in artistic gardens. It has many beautiful and costly homes where there has been no stint of expenditure. I have seen no place to me more desirable in Florida. It has all the balmy sweet-scented atmosphere with all the natural attractions of the floral state

[Written for the Advertiser.]

A Journey with the White Horse.

Rumford Center, Aug. 2, 1884.

This is one of the prettiest little villages in the County. It borders on the Androscoggin and the scenery is beautiful. Many of the houses are old, some unpainted—door yards well shaded and all is quiet. Perhaps, everyone is busy getting hay as it is a good hay day and there is no one about the Union House except the landlady and three young children. We were informed that W. J. Kimball, the proprietor, had some fifteen tons of hay already to go into the barn and we should be obliged to take care of our team and entertain ourself in such a manner as would best suit our convenience.

R. C. Dolloff, the blacksmith, was shoeing a horse and all other places of business were closed except H. A. Small's general grocery store. Dr. F. E. Small with whom we had a pleasant talk and feel assured that the interests of your paper are well cared for by him. We chanced to meet Rev. G. B. Hanaford who has occasionally furnished items for you.

We leave the Center for East Rumford and Rumford Falls. The former is more in name than in reality while the latter is truly immense. We cannot give the number of feet fall the Androscoggin makes in a fouth of a mile but it is a good many. The noise of the rushing water is heard a long distance. Here is almost an inexhaustible water-power. The channel is solid ledge and is easy of daming so that the water can be used. The old mill here was destroyed by fire some years ago and but little business has been done here since. Waldo Pettingill, esq., has recently purchased all of the falls property and the land on both sides of the river for some distance both above and below the falls and rapids. It is reported that he represents a syndicate of Portland and Boston capitalist who are to build large mills here to utilize this water-power. The plans of this company or syndicate are a secret. Questions are not intelligently answered while wild rumors and extravagant notions are entertained by the residents in this section. Some say that a railroad is to be put through here and thus give means of transportation of the unknown product of the prospective mills. It is asserted that the already chartered Bethel, Andover and Rangely R. R. is to be built at an early date and a "siding" from the main road will be laid to the Falls by the Pettengill, Portland and Boston Syndicate. In conversation with others we learned that the Rumford Falls and Buckfield Railroad was to be extended from Canton to Andover via: of the Falls and thus furnish means of transportation for the prospective enterprise. More credence was given the former scheme, however it is hinted that the Grand Trunk is to build a line from Bryant's Pond up through this section and thus open up to the world the ten million horse-power of surplus water that goes to make the biggest natural curiosity in Oxford County. A railroad must be had and is expected. The work of blasting on the ledge at the Falls has already commenced. Seven-five feet of solid rock is to be blown out. We noticed a possie of men under the charge of a big, black bearded boss trying to raise a very obstinent derrick-like contrivance. It would get up about so far and then topple over for want of proper support. We set out to offer the services of our white horse and to take charge of the job ourselves but noticing they were scant for guy stays we were afraid the great strength and age of our horse would be too much for their refractory machine. We watched them for a while and listened to the tumbling of the angry waters and drove on,—not till we had watered our horse and took a survey of the surroundings and noticed that the houses were newly painted a dark yellow with black trimmings: A happy contrast!

We crossed the Swift River and arrived at Mexico Village in due season to interview H. W. Park, esq., on the tariff question. The front of his store is literally covered with card-board signs which resembles the lesson paper of a well regulated primary school of modern times. We found Mr. Park with paper and pencil in hand explaining his tariff views with the exactness of an old-time school-master. Mr. Park keeps a large variety of goods in his store and is ever ready to wait on customers. He held a government clerkship in one of the departments at Washington for several yeaes and is well posted in matters pertaining to political economy. He is the present treasurer of the town.

At the post office we met your correspondent and agent Mr. L. H. Harlow. He keeps a stock of general merchandise and make an obliging post master as well as a good itemizer for your paper. We were informed that your "Mark Tapley" was here only two days before and supposing he had "done" the town for you we ceased to take notes—other than such as might be paid on subscription or for job printing.

Mr. William Hall, the blacksmith, and myself, with two teams and a dog, started down river for Dixfield Village. The other smith of the village is Clark Houston, who has won lasting fame in the building of a superior cant-dog.

Dixfield is considerable of a village. Business seems to be brisk or at least a good many people are seen on the streets. We find that your paper is but little known here or that there are but few that come here in comparison with other towns of its size. We expect that your recently appointed correspondents, P. F. Kilgore and W. W. Abbott, clerk at the post office, will make the paper of so much interest to the people of this village that they cannot afford to live without it. We hope this may be so. You may expect to hear from them often. Local news without politics or personal prejudice is wanted. We skip the village almost entirely not even taking time to visit your worthy friend and patron, L. H. Ludden, esq. We supposed he was busy with his law practice and as night was drawing near we made haste to cross the river—and it cost us ten cents so to do—and make arrangements for a night's lodging with the West Peru village blacksmith.

[From the Kezar Falls' Record.]

KEZAR FALLS.

The Misses Littlefield are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Geo. W. Towle.

Merrill the tailor has taken the room over W. F. Redlon's office.

Mr. Samuel Ridlon has been very sick again this week.

The Alphas played the Hiram club at Cornish, last Saturday forenoon. Score, 45 to 24, in favor of the Alphas.

PORTER.

We understand that R. G. Heard intends moving out West.

It is rumored that James M. French is about to move to Kezar Falls.

Mrs. Alvin Stanley, while getting breakfast one morning last week, found a large snake of the adder species in the cupboard. It was killed by Mr. Stanley. The intruder is supposed to have been a constant visitor, as two pounds of sugar and one pound of raisins are missing.

HIRAM.

John Pierce, esq., is improving his Burbank lot very much by trimming up and cutting out shrubbery.

John W. Hubbard has a stalk of Egyptian sweet corn from his garden lashed up against the post-office; it is twelve feet in height.

EAST HIRAM.

We learn that the threshing machine owned by Charles Rankin will be run this fall by Dana Cotton and Levi R. Robins.

The only telegraph office in town is the one at the Bridgton Junction, operated by Mr. Wm. H. Linscott.

SOUTH HIRAM.

Rev. Chas. Bean, of Scarboro, will preach at the chapel, So. Hiram, on the afternoon of Sept. 14th, at 2 o'clock.

[From the Canton Telephone.]

CANTON.

John Forham arrived from San Francisco, Cal. Wednesday; also E. Harlow is in town.

Mr. P. M. C. Jones and wife of Kingston, Mass., have been visiting at Alpheus Packard's the past week.

It is reported that two colts belonging to Mr. Record of Buckfield were struck by the special train last evening and injured so they had to be killed.

The rites of baptism were administered to Mr. Linneus Bosworth by Rev. Mr. Stetson, at Whitney Pond last Sabbath.

C. H. Lucas is to occupy a tenement at George Moore's.

E. N. Carver has been puite sick since Tuesday morning with a severe cold accompanied by symptoms of fever.

The Canton Free High School will commence Monday, Sept. 29th, under the instruction of J. M. Holland. The Intermediate department will be taught by Mrs. Laura J. Fogg of Hartford. The Intermediate department will be conducted as a district school and the higher department as a High School.

MEXICO.

R. L. Taylor will commence to build a new house on the Edmunds place where the old one was burnt a short time ago.

Marion Babb lost an ox one day last week while hauling in hay. His death was caused by heat.

EAST SUMNER.

Rev. Gilman Rice is on a vacation to the White Mountains.

The railroad company are building a coffer dam and making preparations for the building of an abutment on the Sumner side of the railroad bridge at this place. It will be an expensive but strong and durable piece of masonry.

DIXFIELD.

W. F. Putnam has just fitted up his threshing machine in first-class order and is now prepared to attend to the wants of the public.

We notice among our city boarders Charles Wilson of the firm of Wilson & Jinks, of R. I.

DON'T GIVE UP YET.

It dosen't follow that a patient will die because the docters have "given you up," or that he will recover because they promise to "pull him through". It is never to late to try the great virtues of Parker's Tonic. Mr. Michal Guilfoyle, of Binghamton, N. Y., was cured of Rhuematism by it after ten years of unspeakable suffering. Mr. R. W. Mosher, druggist, of same city, certifies that he has sold over a thousand bottles of Parker's Tonic through its repuation for this and other cures.

Make your fortune by honest industry temperance and frugality. Use the true "L. F." Atwood Medecine. Trade mark "L. F."

Three thousand miners were rioting in Hocking Valley, O., Saturday. The troops were called out.

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FRIDAY, SEPT. 5, 1884.

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GEORGE A. WILSON, of Paris.
Register of Probate,
HERRICK DAVIS, of Paris.
Sheriff,
JORDAN STACY, of Porter.
County Attorney,
JAMES S. WRIGHT, of Paris.
County Treasurer,
JARVIS C. MARBLE, of Paris.

Democratic and Greenback Nominees.

Senators,
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SAMUEL F. GIBSON, Bethel.
Sheriff,
ISAAC G. VIRGIN, Canton.
County Treasurer,
GEORGE L. MELLEN, Paris.

Cattle Show and Fair.

We publish on the fourth page the premium list of the Oxford County Agricultural Society. As will be noticed the amount of premiums this year exceeds anything ever offered by the society. The whole amount aggregates some $2,300.

We are pleased to note that the purses for trotting have been increased to something near a decent figure. It ought to bring out the good horses in the county. If the ADVERTISER has had anything to do in bringing about this apparent indication of progress in the society it feels amply repaid for the position it took last fall and the enmity it then roused.

We especially ask the attention of our readers to the various departments of the premium list and invite them each and every one to make an exhibit of the best they have. This will make an attractive show and will be of interest to all attending. Save the best for the fair.

It should be borne in mind that the society shows unmistakable signs of progress, other than the large increase in their premium list and trotting purses. After an exhaustive effort of two times trying they have added to their pigmy poster these words, "Over $2300, in Premiums offered." This is the only change that has been made in that poster since the earliest recollection of some now living. This is commendable and shows a disposition to progress!

This poster is conspicuous for what it does not tell. We will tell you kind reader something that this poster is silent about. The price of admission to this show is 15 cents, adults, 10 cents for children under ten years of age. This is cheap enough and you will get your money's worth without doubt but then the poster won't tell you anything about this.

This poster won't inform you of a nice cloak room where you can leave an overcoat, whip, lunch basket, a ladies' shawl and other bundles, while you attend the fair but there is just such a check room and the charge is only 5 cents and every thing you leave there will be safe—why not advertise this? "Oh! 'twont do! It is a great bother to get another line in on that poster and the small bill [set in solid type that nobody will read] must do." This is the reply. But reader we are not [illegible] you when you came to the fair to leave your bundles there.

This poster won't say anything to the horsemen about the $561.00 hung out in purses on trials of speed. They do still better but keep a little sly about it. The Society in the sweepstakes offer fifty dollars extra if the winning horse beats 2:30. Add it all together and you have $611.00 in purses on trials of speed. A pretty respectable sum. The ADVERTISER last fall asked them to put up $750.00 for the trotting, and the Society have so nearly fulfilled its request that we feel like praising them for it and shouting the news to all the horsemen in the county and to all who delight in good horses and fair trotting. But this poster (300 of which are to be printed at this office,) will not say anything about the above. It won't do. It would ruin the whole business. If this thing should get public it would fill our grounds with jockeys and gamblers and corrupt our young men; and then, too, our show would be called the biggest 15 cent agricultural horse trot in the State. It will never do! No publicity should be given to the above! But the ADVERTISER will speak of it and handle it about as it sees fit. And right here it will compliment the directors for trying to do something without advertising. Their attitude is much like the modest and highly respectable young man with gogles on his eyes, that winks to the pretty maid! You all know the result.

This poster won't tell you that there is to be an exciting bicycle race, a running race to the saddle and that no betting and gambling will be allowed on the grounds. We will make a clean breast of it and tell you that that is down on the program.

This diminutive little pigmy of brown paper and black ink that hasn't been changed since the days of our grandfathers, save the five words added this year won't speak of the immense multitude of beautiful, rare, lovely and curious things on exhibit in the large hall usually presided over by the ladies assisted by comrade C. H. George. Neither will it tell anything—well, let's see,—yes, it does tell the time and place. Now, the place everybody knows and the time is well advertised by all the local papers free of charge. By the way, it will say one thing more: "Have the pleasure of announcing that their 42d exhibition," etc. This is important! Especially "the pleasure" part of it. It makes us smile with the rest of mankind. Another thing is that there will be reduced fare on the G. T. Railway and for further particulars see small bill. That is all! Three hundred of these bills gives us a good job of printing and we pocket the money, but it is of no value to the Society. The expense is about six dollars and it would help the Society just as much to give it to the Foreign Mission as to spend it in the kind of printing they do. We do not object to the printing if they should put anything on the bill that people want to know. It would n't cost a cent more and only take a few minutes more time of their advertising manager in furnishing copy for a modernized poster.

This forth coming bill will not announce that there is to be any music at the fair but such is not the case. Band music will be furnished and those who delight in good music will not be disappointed.

Now, we are not afraid to invite our readers to come to the Cattle Show and Fair and say that it will be one of the best exhibitions ever made in Oxford County.

We will keep you posted and tell you what you may expect there even if the officers of the society should get a little provoked with us.

Director W. N. Thomas and E. K. Kilgore have been grading the track and are to have it in excellent condition.

GREENWOOD.

I. F. Emmons has a stock of sweet corn that measures ten and one-half feet. It was planted for fodder.

O. P. Whittle, wife, son and daughter, came up from Lewiston last Tuesday to make a visit at W. G. Whittle's, and returned last Friday.

Charles McKenny of Bryant's Pond, formerly of this town, died Thursday Aug. 28th. He was a pensioner of the war of 1812. JOHN TOPSHAM.

Mr. Lemuel Dunham writes:—I am reminded that this, the 26th of Aug., is the anniversary of my birth, being 54 years old to-day; and it is also the anniversary of an event more serious than that. I refer to the execution of the two criminals, Cox and Williams, who were hung in Auburn jail yard Aug. 26th, 1858, twenty-six years ago to-day, that being my twenty-eighth birth-day. They murdered a part of the crew of brig Albion Cooper, and were executed by Wm. K. Kimball of Paris, who subsequently committed suicide with a pistol. I saw those poor wretches launched into eternity, and it was a sight that I do not wish to witness again.

NORTH RUMFORD.

The bridge at North Rumford is now in a safe condition. Mr. Jonathan Grover contracted to build it for a certain sum and he has surely done his part in an honorable manner. He has put in split stone piers and immense sleepers which make it one of the most substantial bridges in town.

Mr. H. M. Abbott of this place has had a well dug in front of his house and a new cucumber pump put in. They had to dig only 12½ feet.

Spencer Abbott had a colt break its leg a short time ago; he had been offered $50 for it but would not have sold it for $75.

Rev. Mr. Garland of Bethel exchanged with Rev. Mr. Jones of the Cong. church at Rumford Point, the 30th.

Quite an excitement was caused in town last week by a certain Chas. Raymond eloping with his brother's wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard have returned from N. H. feeling well paid for their trip.

The corn shop was started Saturday. Davis the "corn" man informs us that corn is good this year but that it will have to be picked twice as we have had so much wet weather, it has started two crops of ears.

A crew of five went on to Mt. Puzzle last week, saw a bear and got about three quarts of berries apiece and got back again. From the report of the party they were lucky to get back as the road is fearfully blockaded by fallen timber blown down in the Nov. gale.

Fred Silver has bought him a horse of Llewellyn Hall of Andover. $75 we understand. JEM KEEN.

RUMFORD CENTRE.

We see more and larger wheat fields than commonly. We can but think it a sign of wisdom and practical economy on the farmer's part to raise his own wheat. The frequent rains have made the fields look almost like spring.

We have quite a strong political attack just now, which seems very epidemic; every one has it. There seem two types of the disease. One may be represented by a large R, the other by a big D. No one need be alarmed, as it is not fatal to life, not including hope etc. It occurs about once in two years mildly, once in four years with great severity, culminating always in September and November. We accidentally ran into a juvenile political meeting. The speakers were Ernest Farnum, Fred Eaton and Thomas Penley. We heard the sound of oratory as we neared the church, and when we passed the east door we were surprised and much pleased to find Master Ernie addressing his audience. Fearing our presence might not be agreeable we hastened on. They had martial music, for Willie Swain was there with his snare drum. We could hear the voice of the drum after our interruption and so concluded the meeting went on and wise council for the nation by Young America.

In this Representative class the Republicans have nominated William H. Walker of Peru, and the Democrats Charles G. Irish of Franklin Plantation.

Our ears are now pleasantly saluted by a steam whistle, which many say they never expected to hear in Rumford. Said whistle is at the stave mill on Waldo Pettingill's land. They are doing good work. We believe this is only a beginning in the manufacturing interest in Rumford. The people must encourage every attempt by hearty and unselfish co-operation with every move in that direction. It is for the interest of the whole town and not one particular part for the developement of our latent powers. Anxiety to find out everything beforehand will not help individuals or the town. But if every one will be ready to assist and encourage all attempts, then will the intentions of others be opened to our vision by a grand and successful result.

The corn factory at the Point started yesterday morning. The corn is of better quality than last year. This is a great benefit to many people. It not only makes a market for our farmers' corn, but it gives employment to many who would have none without it. Every industry is a large benefit to not a few.

The following officers of the G. T. Order have been installed by the Lodge Deputy, Rev. N. D. Center, viz:—F. E. Small, C. T.; Lulu Hoyt, V. T.; M. K. Center, Sec.; Jen. Farnum, Asst. Sec.; Juliette Lufkin, Treas.; Lucy Lufkin, Fin. Sec.; Roxie Doloff, I. G.; Herbert Wood, O. G.; Rev. G. B. Hanaford, Chap.; Anna Putnam, R. H. S.; Mary Penley, L. H. S.; Willard Wyman, Mar.; Ed C. Farnum, Dep. Mar. The Lodge has a paper every two weeks. Mrs. M. K. Center is Editress.

Miss Eva C. Kimball is home from Chicago. Her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kimball accompanied her and made their relatives a short visit.

The Misses Henderson of Chicago are the guests of Misses Lucy and Eva Kimball.

Mr. James C. Small has been at home but returned yesterday to Bangor, where he is studying dentistry with Dr. Evans.

Mr. J. E. Stevens has opened his store and is willing to wait on any one who will give him a call. He also repairs watches, jewelry, etc.

Mr. N. S. Farnum has removed to his old store in Mr. Battie's house. He has refitted it and has a nice cozy store. He has put ten lock boxes into the P. O. Let us now have a daily mail and we will be contented for a while, at least or until we want something else.

Dr. C. P. Small, dentist, may be found at his father's. H. A. Small's, for the next four weeks. He has his instruments for inflicting all kinds of dental pain.

Mr. and Mrs. Pettingill are visiting Mrs. P's father at Mechanic Falls. They also take in the Camp Meeting at Poland.

Rev. Mr. Hannaford visited his father last week; also the Camp meeting. Tuesday he finished getting his second crop of hay.

Sec'y A. C. T. King with carpenters are building a long, permanent shed to be used to shelter cattle. Also there is talk of a dining building to be erected near the Agricultural Hall.

ANDOVER.

Politics are not raging very high in this town. There have been but two speakers thus far, both Republicans. Last Saturday evening Anson Wood of New York addressed a good sized audience at the town hall. One thing can be said of Mr. Wood; he was a very candid speaker, throwing no mud at all, and that is something that can't be said of every speaker.

Mr. Frank Dresser is in town.

Mr. Anson Campbell fell from a load of hay one day last week, dislocating his shoulder, and breaking his collar bone.

Fred Eaton who went west last spring returned to his native town last week. During the time he was away he visited Washington Ter., Oregon and California.

Everybody says John Hewey has a good colt.

Jehiel Campbell has sold his farm to Henry Brickett.

The telegraph line from Andover to the South Arm of the Richardson Lakes is now in good working order. Joshua Small has been at work on it some during the past week.

Mr. Reynolds is a guest at French's, having lately returned from the west.

Very glowing reports are not being brought from that "far west" by those who have lately returned to the land where there is "bread enough and to spare." Mr. Eaton thinks a person who has any business in this part of the country is better off to remain where he is. "If you can earn a dollar" there you have to work for it the same as here, though perhaps not quite so many hours.

Henry Mills who has been selling tobacco in Massachusetts returned to Andover last week.

Andover Brass Band furnished music at the lecture Saturday evening which was pronounced very good.

Miss Abbie Hanson who has been stopping at Bethel the present season, returned home last week.

"Perseverance accomplishes much," and the truth of this is illustrated by taking a look over J. Lyman Ripley's mills completed last winter. Last fall Mr. Ripley's mills including all the machinery, tools etc., were destroyed by fire, this being the second time that the fiery element has rendered him nearly penniless. The present structure is 60x35 ft. In it he is prepared to do all kinds of sawing, such as boards, shingles, clapboards and laths, besides job sawing and planing. We hope that Mr. Ripley will receive enough encouragement in the way of patronage, with a little cash now and then to induce him to put in a grist mill. M.

PERU.

The oldest citizen (in his ninety-fifth year) "gives it up," and pronounces this the soppiest and soggiest season to harvest hay and grain of which he has any recollection. Haying not over yet, and a few drying days will no more than render the grain fit to be barned. Grain is very heavy in straw, and much was cut and laid out through the rain and will require much handling to get the water out. Hop picking is the order on some farms. Complaint is made that many worms are destroying the potato crop; this surprises us, for we thought that the city fisherman had dug out all the worms for fish bait, judging from the condition of our land along the trout brooks.

Several valuable horses have died from "pink eye" in this vicinity.

Politics are at a discount among farmers in these busy times, the brood of aspirants has suddenly vanished since the nominating conventions have made their selections; the last one that concerns the votes of this district was made on Monday by the opposition to the Republicans. At Rumford Center Sept. 1st, Charles G. Irish of Franklin Plantation, was unanimously nominated for representative to the State Legislature, and Dr. Hiram Abbott of Rumford, A. P. Marsh of Dixfield, Henry Rowe of Peru, E. E. Bedell of Andover, Sewell Goff of Mexico, H. Ladd of Roxbury, Knapp of Byron, and Charles G. Irish of Franklin Plantation were chosen a district committee.

Only one public speech has yet been made in this town, that by Mr. Dingley. Not a yard of bunting floats on the air. No political "bummer" greets us at our labor with his genial smile and cordial hand shake. Our political papers we have given to the neighbors for shelf trimmings; they pronounce them more deadly to flies than corrosive sublimate or insect powder. H. S. M.

DIXFIELD.

We had occasion to call on George Holt & Son's marble works and were shown a machine for planing and sticking moldings on marble, of Mr. Holt's own make, with which he claims that a boy who can turn a crank can do the work of six men. It is adapted to all kinds of surface planing, and to stick various styles of moldings. He also has a model for a machine which he thinks of patenting, that is far superior to the one now in use. Mr. Holt is a great artist and a skilled workman.

We just called on the editor of the ADVERTISER during our short stay at Norway, and we find him "full of fun" and after a social chat and "sly glance at the white horse" we take an overland route for home.

Bravo, Betsey B.; We will not have the names of those dear old mountains changed. No, we will have them pass down through the history of time after we are quietly sleeping beneath the stately shadows, by the sacred names our fond parents taught us to call them. We will not give place to Blaine nor Logan.

Strangers spare those sacred names,
Make not a single vow,
For in my youth they sheltered me,
And I'll protect them now.

We are going to have a prohibition flag raising to-morrow.

T. M. Kilgore came very near meeting with a painful accident the 30th by sticking a pointed stick just over the eye through the eyelid in a horizontal direction, grazing the eye and protruding into the socket, causing rather a painful wound.

Whooping cough is among the ills of the day.

If you want a good job of house painting done, call on Newton Stowell.

Stillman Whitney is confined to the house by poison contracted while haying.

Charles Stanley is doing quite a large business at his grist mill, selling corn and flour, besides doing custom grinding. CORRESPONDENT.

WEST SUMNER.

Abbott & Pulsifer have rented Washington Hall for a storehouse for their carriages.

Wm. L. Chase, Mellen Bates, Henry Proctor, Jarvis Doble and Conrad Merrill spent three days at Little Concord pond, and succeeded in securing seventeen trout, the largest weighing 2½ and down to ¼ pound each. Query, did it pay?

Mrs. Harris of Lynn, Mass., gave a public reading at the Universalist church last Tuesday evening. On account of the stormy weather there were but few present though those who were present enjoyed a "feast of reason and flow of soul."

Monday evening of this week Ex-Gov. Perham and E. M. Boynton addressed the people here.

BRYANT'S POND.

Joel Perham was in town last week He has been visiting his brother, Kilborn Perham.

Daniel Day has taken the job to repair the Curtis school-house this fall. About $75 was raised for that purpose last spring.

The funeral services of Capt. Charles McKenny was held in this village on Friday of last week. He was a stepfather of Mr. Nathan Small, with whom he has had his residence. Rev. Mr. Witham of West Paris preached the funeral sermon.

The fall term of the village schools begins on Tuesday Sept. 2nd. The grammar school will be under the instruction of Miss Nina H. Houghton, of Norway, and the primary will be taught by Mrs. Lalia D. Estes of this village.

Potatoes and some pieces of grain are rusting quite badly.

Mrs. Elvira Chase of Bryant's Pond, aged 72 years and almost a cripple, spun eight skeins of stocking yarn one day last week. B****.

The Methodist Quarterly Meeting will be held here Sept. 6 and 7th.

Ambrose N. Brooks we learn is very low with consumption.

Miss Mabel Perham is teaching at Oxford, and Mrs. Clara G. Bryant at West Paris.

Mr. L. N. Cummings and family have returned to Uxbridge, Mass.

Rev. A. A. Ford has gone to Boston to consult a physician there.

Rev. Seth Benson has been engaged to teach the village school this winter. N. E.

MEXICO.

D. L. Kimball lost one of his span of horses a short time since. He valued the horse at $150.

Elder Twort of Canton held a grove meeting in the grove near Isaac Bradeen's, Sunday the 31st.

Farmers are very busy at present cutting their grain which promises to yield largely. SCRIBE.

WEST BETHEL.

S. W. Potter is authorized to receive subscriptions and act as correspondent for the ADVERTISER in this vicinity.

Albion P. Mason has the boss fruit garden. He has several rare kinds of fruit which are seldom seen in other gardens. He has taken great pains in getting the several varieties, which are too numerous to name, but we give the number of kinds: apples 26, pear 1, cherry 1, plum 7, grape vines 10, currants 3, blackberries 5, raspberries 2, strawberries 6, making 58 different varieties.

Millard Mason has 716 cabbages, which are all heading. Anyone in want of good cabbages this fall should call on him.

Willie, youngest son of W. D. Mills, has been very sick but is now better.

Gracie, only child of W. A. Farwell, has been very sick with bilious diarrhœa, but is now better.

Mrs. D. Farwell who has been sick at Gorham, N. H., is now better and is expected home Tuesday.

Mr. L. E. Allen and family have returned from Abington, Mass., where he has been for the past year. Mr. A. is going to run the engine in Mr. Bean's mill. He will be a good man for the situation. S. A. M.

OTISFIELD.

Quite a large number of neighbors and friends gathered at the home of Mr. Ephraim P. Jillson, on the evening of Aug. 23rd, to celebrate the tenth anniversary of their marriage. After the company had assembled, Rev. Joseph Hutchinson offered prayer and made some remarks, then followed music [illegible] and vocal, after which the company of about a hundred people were served to ice cream, cake and fruit, of which an ample supply was furnished by Mr. Jillson and wife. Among the presents we noticed a nice ice cream freezer, a dozen silver tea spoons, and other things too numerous to mention, which prove that Mr. J. and his wife have many friends in this vicinity. I heard one remark that they seemed everywhere present, looking out for and seeing that every one was entertained. I can join with those present in saying that I never was at a place where there were so many people present and each one seemed to enjoy themselves better and everything passed off in a more quiet, orderly manner. Mr. J. is a native of Otisfield, and one of its respected citizens. His wife was Miss Nancy Day of Boston, who is a true lady. H. A. S.

SWEDEN.

Mrs. D. R. Smart of Texas, who has been boarding with Mrs. Mary Gordon, starts next Wednesday for Round Pond on a visit to friends and relatives.

C. G. Gordon has gone to Boston to work with his brother, John W., in a large tea and coffee house.

Chas. E. Jones of Boston and Chas. E. Smart of Lowell, Mass., have made a visit in this place.

Aaron Libby has bought a large horse of late to put in his threshing machine.

Enoch Hazen will soon leave for the west.

Isaac Davis is quite low, has been out of health nearly all summer.

Nearly everyone who owns a gun is cleaning it up and getting ready for ducks and partridges Monday morning. They are quite plenty in this vicinity and so are the gunners.

Sweet corn is nearly ready for the corn factory. Some will begin to haul their corn Monday Sept. 1st. Corn has not eared as well as some years heretofore.

Some almanac makers are prophesying a hard frost this week. We had a slight frost one week ago but it did no harm. BLACK MOUNTAIN.

Rev. Mr. Snow preached an interesting and pithy sermon last Sabbath at the M. E. church from words found in the fourteenth Psalm and first verse, "The fool hath said in his heart there is no God," after which he baptised one person. At five o'clock p. m. the Rev. Mr. Cross from Lovell gave a lecture at the Congregational house.

Dorrence Knight sold six fat oxen last week for five hundred and fifty dollars, and S. J. Marr and sons sold one large fat pair, but the price we have not yet learned.

A grocery cart sent out by Stearns & Co., Lovell, comes to our doors regularly once in two weeks laden with the good things, and G. S. Bennett sends his cart around once and sometimes twice a week.

A meat cart has never been run regularly here, but we understand that hereafter we shall have meat brought regularly and often enough to convene and supply the needs of the people.

RUMFORD.

H. F. Webb began operations at his corn shop bright and early Monday morning. We understand there are but seventy acres of corn planted for the factory this year but it is very nice and will cut heavy. Mr. Webb will run only about half crew and intends to put up some very nice goods.

We hope to be able next week to chronicle the fact that we are all done haying. We can't do it this week.

Jas. E. Hutchins is back again buying cattle.

J. H. Barker is getting better slowly. Glad to see him out of doors again. FRANK.

SOUTH PARIS.

Extra copies of the ADVERTISER are for sale at A. M. Gerry's Drug Store. Price 4 cts.

Mr. Wm. Deering and family returned to Chicago the first of this week.

Mr. Sprague has let the contract for a new cellar under the Albert Cooper rent.

Rev. Mr. Foss will preach on the Constitutional Amendment at the M. E. church next Sunday forenoon, Sunday School concert in the evening.

There will be a Republican Rally at the New Hall, Saturday evening, Sept. 6th, under the auspices of the Blaine and Logan Club. Local speakers will speak and the South Paris Band will furnish music. OCCASIONAL.

The South Paris one price Boot and Shoe Store has a new advertisement this week that speaks for itself.

Dr. J. W. Davis and wife have returned from a trip to Michigan.

L. W. Jackson intends to add another story to his hotel, the Elmo House, this fall.

We clip the following from the *Democrat*: Hon. Wm. Deering of Chicago, the millionaire manufacturer of harvesting and reaping machines, is in town, visiting his father, Mr. James Deering. Mr. Deering was a Paris boy and his unexceptionable record as a self-made business man is one in which every citizen of Paris takes a just pride. Mr. Deering was the founder of the immense business of Wm. Deering & Co., which has grown from one small work-shop with one work-man, in 1861, at Plano, Ill., to a business requiring offices, work-shops and lumber-yards, covering more than twenty-five acres in the suburbs of Chicago and giving employment to between fourteen hundred and fifteen hundred men, with over fifteen hundred agencies in the U. S. and foreign countries.

There will be a Social Dance at the Andrews House Hall, Monday eve, Sept. 8th. Music by Young's Orchestra. No postponement on account of the weather.

Some farmers have commenced digging potatoes to save them from rot.

Frank Porter's wife is insane, occasioned by the sickness of her little boy with typhoid fever. She is now with her sister Mrs. Benjamin Bird, who lost her husband some two weeks since.

Miss Lizzie Marshall is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Plummer of Conn., formerly of Norway.

Mell Pratt recovers slowly from his severe sickness. His mother, Mrs. G. C. Pratt has been very sick but is better.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramsdell who have been stopping with their son Ed. for the past year, have returned to their home in Harrington.

I would say to the correspondent who inquired for Horace M. Fisk, that a man by that name lives at North Waterford, Me.

James Penley has a hen which presents a singular appearance. She is fast changing from jet black to white; she has been ailing for some time but has a good appetite. Can some one tell the cause of the change?

Ella Bryant who was quite sick while at work for J. L. Paine, has returned home.

Many of the visitors at Maplewood, have returned to Chelsea, Mass.

This has been a great year for blackberries in this section.

Lyman Twitchell and family of Portland have been visiting his mother Mrs. Rebecca Swan.

We recently saw a field of corn which beat all our ideas of corn growing in this part of the country. The stalks stand from nine to twelve feet high, on an average, and much of it higher. We presume that the farm being advertised in the ADVERTISER has something to do with its growth.

Emery Lowell and Andrew Foster, his son-in-law, from Oak Hill, are going threshing this fall.

We hear that Mrs. Joseph Wheeler is quite sick. Her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Hannibal Wheeler, is stopping at her father's, Henry Swift.

D. N. True is having a coat of paint put on the mill.

The corn factory started up last Saturday. The prospect is good for a large yield. Messrs. Burnham & Morrill use the patent wiper this year.

E. M. Thayer goes to Lewiston next Monday with his string of trotters.

At the last meeting of Oxford County Grange at South Paris there were seventy-five members present. The silo was discussed and the sense of the meeting was that it did not pay to build them.

Dr. Davis, the dentist will be pleased to yank, fill or make a tooth for you.

Any one desiring to buy a good second hand harness should call on V. A. Greenleaf.

Elias Stowell, the clothier, has just ordered a fresh lot of nice goods of the latest style. Give him a call.

Ellis Richards swallowed some acid last Tuesday, but a physician fetched him around all right.

Gran. had a fresh invoice of watermelons last Wednesday.

John Gerry made us a flying visit last Tuesday.

Frank Shurtleff is back once more in his old place at A. M. Gerry's.

Mrs. Nellie Eastman is visiting at her father's, Henry Gerry.

Frank Kimball has returned from Old Orchard, where he has been working at the Bay View House.

Delphinus Bowker is at home on a vacation.

Harry Morton has returned to Lewiston.

Miss Ella Libby has been spending a few days visiting friends in this place.

BUCKFIELD.

Lieut. Howard Emery of the U. S. Revenue Service has been on a visit here to his mother.

Fred Hodgdon is sick with typhoid fever.

W. S. Bucknam is pretty well stirred up on political matters and has arguments with different parties almost daily. Dick D. rang a cow-bell in B's ears to refute his tariff statements, which nearly resulted in an assault and battery case.

The Canning Factory begins business Sept. 8.

L. E. Monk brought a load of 156 qts. of blueberries to market at C. H. Prince's recently. S.

A circumstance occurred in our village last week that is worth relating. It is this, Mr. Noah Bicknell of Hebron hauled a load of straw to Mr. Tobin, the livery stable keeper. Mr. B. lost his left arm up to his shoulder a number of years ago and Mr. Tobin employs Charles Twitchell to assist him in the stable, Mr. T. lost his right arm in the last war, so not finding any help handy Mr. Twitchell pitched the half ton of straw off and Mr. Bicknell stowed it away. Who can beat this?

C. H. Prince is putting an addition on his store.

Episcopal service at the M. E. church next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 6 p. m.

Rev. Mr. Little (Universalist) will preach in the M. E. church next Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

Advent camp meeting this week at Mechanic Falls.

W. A. Bunt has bought out F. W. Lombard in the barber shop.

Dean & Morrill are buying a drove of cattle. H.

We shall endeavor to give a full and complete statement of the vote of Oxford County in our next issue. We trust the town clerks to whom we have sent circulars, will be prompt in filling out and returning to us. Send in the statement as early as possible after the votes are counted.

If your pump is troubling you, why not take it out and put in a Hooper Double-acting Force, which is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. There are nearly one thousand of these pumps now in use and we refer with pleasure to those having them. For particulars and circulars address Sewell Austin, Norway, Maine: agent for Oxford County. 36-52.

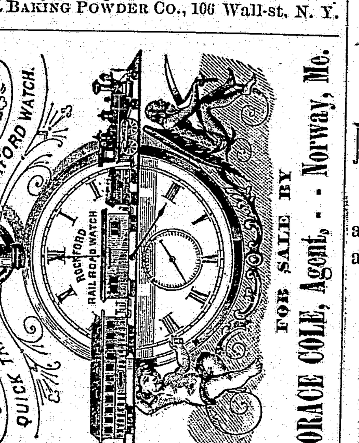
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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

Whereas, Oscar Charles of Stow in the county of Oxford, State of Maine, did, on the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1870, by his mortgage deed of that date, duly executed and acknowledged, and recorded in the Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 56, Page 63, convey to one Edward F. Guptill then of said Stow, the following described real estate, situated in said Stow, and in said mortgage deed described as follows, viz.—"The house and house lots which I this day bought of said Guptill: said lot is bounded East by land of Thomas Guptill, South by land of Isaac A. Walker, North and West by the road and mill yard. Also the Grist Mill with the Privilege of water, yard, and ways and all Privileges connected with said mill. Also an undivided half of the saw mill, with all the Privileges of water, dam and yards, and all Privileges connected with said mill. Intending hereby to convey all that I now own in said mills and the Privileges." Which mills and mill Privilege are known as the Stow mill Privilege, situated at Stow Corner. And, whereas the said Edward F. Guptill, thereafterwards, duly transferred and assigned to me, the subscriber, said mortgage deed on the 9th day of July, A. D. 1881, recorded in said registry of deeds, Book 74, Page 54. And whereas, the conditions of said mortgage have been broken, I, hereby, claim a foreclosure of the same, according to the Statute in such cases made and provided. ITHIEL E. CLAY.
Fryeburg, Aug. 22d., 1884. 35-37

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

Whereas Eliza A. Thurston, Amanda T. Mills, and Lorenzo D. Mills of Brownfield in Oxford County, Maine, on the thirtieth day of March, 1872, by their mortgage Deed of that date, recorded in Oxford Western District Registry, Book 56, Page 293, conveyed to Edwin Snow of Eaton, New Hampshire, certain real estate in said Brownfield and being the late homestead of one James B. Durgin, and the same deeded to him by Henry Howard, August 8th, 1848, recorded in said Registry, Book 33, Page 321, and occupied by Marilla Day at the time of her husband's death, and also occupied by him as a homestead, and which said mortgage was assigned by said Snow to me on the 7th day of June, 1884. Now therefore the conditions of said mortgage having been broken, I claim a foreclosure thereof according to the provisions of the Statute in such cases made and provided. MARILLA DAY.
Brownfield, August 1st., 1884. 35-37

STATE OF MAINE.

OXFORD, ss.—Paris, August 20th, A. D. 1884.

This is to give notice, that on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1884, a warrant in insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Oxford, against the estate of Orin P. Stiles, of Norway, in said county of Oxford, adjudged to be an insolvent debtor, on petition of said debtor, which petition was filed on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1884, to which last named date interest on claims is to be computed.

That the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law.

That a meeting of the creditors of said debtor, to prove their debts, and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency, to be holden at Probate Court Room in Paris, in said county, on the 17th day of September, A. D. 1884, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.
ALBERT P. BASSETT, Deputy Sheriff as Messenger of the Court of Insolvency of said County of Oxford.
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OXFORD, ss.—At a Court of Probate held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of August, A. D. 1884.

On the petition of SUSIE H. PEABODY, Administratrix of the estate of Benjamin S. Peabody, late of Greenwood, in said county, deceased, praying for license to sell and convey all the real estate of said deceased necessary to pay the debts and incidental charges, estimated to about three hundred dollars, at public or private sale:

ORDERED, That the said Petitioner give notice to all persons interested, by causing an abstract of her petition, with this order thereon, to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Advertiser, printed at Norway, in said county, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Paris, in said county, on the third Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and shew cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.
35-37 GEO. A. WILSON, Judge.
A true copy—Attest: H. C. DAVIS, Register.

OXFORD, ss:—At a Court of Probate, held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of August. A. D. 1884.

On the petition of Sophronia C. Abbott, et al. of Bethel, in said county, praying that Daniel B. Grover, of Bethel, be appointed Administrator on the estate of Abner F. Bennett, late of Bethel, in said county deceased:

ORDERED, That the said petitioners give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Advertiser, printed at Norway, in said county, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Paris, on the third Tuesday of Septemer next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted. GEO. A. WILSON, Judge.
A true copy—Attest: H. C. DAVIS, Register.
35-37

OXFORD, ss:—At a Court of Probate held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of August, A. D. 1884.

Susie H. Peabody, widow of Benjamin S. Peabody, late of Greenwood, deceased, having presented her petition for an allowance out of the personal estate of said deceased:

ORDERED, That the said petitioner give notice of the same, to all persons interested therein, by publishing a copy of this order three weeks successively in the Oxford County Advertiser, a newspaper printed at Norway, in said county, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Paris, within and for said county, on the third Tuesday of September next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, against the same.
35-37 GEO. A. WILSON, Judge.
A true copy—Attest: H. C. DAVIS, Register.

OXFORD, ss:—At a Court of Probate held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of August. A. D. 1884.

Elizabeth B. C. Keen, named Executrix in a certain Instrument purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Harvey Keen, late of Buckfield, in said County, deceased, having presented the same for Probate:

ORDERED, That the said Executrix give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford Co. Advertiser, printed at Norway, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, in said County, on the third Tuesday of September next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the said Instrument should not be proved, approved and allowed as the last Will and Testament of said deceased. GEORGE A. WILSON, Judge.
A true copy—ATTEST:—H. C. DAVIS, Register.
35-37

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Brown Bread,	Cream Cakes,
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☞Also, Corn Meal, Oats and Feed, at reduced prices.

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The subscriber hereby gives public notice that he has been duly appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Oxford, and assumed the trust of Administrator of the estate of CYNTHIA KILGORE, late of Newry, in said county, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs; he therefore requests all persons indebted to the estate of said deceased to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon to exhibit the same to
ANDREW D. KILGORE.
August, 19th, 1884. 35-37

NON-RESIDENT TAXES

In the town of Waterford, in the county of Oxford, and State of Maine, for the year 1883:

The following list of taxes on real estate, of non-resident owners in the town of Waterford, for the year 1883, in bills committed to Geo. M. Knight, Collector of Taxes of said town, on the 3d day of July, 1883, has been returned by him to me as remaining unpaid on the 2d day of July, 1884, by his certificate of that date, and now remain unpaid; and notice is hereby given, that if the said taxes, interest, and charges are not paid into the treasury of said town of Waterford within eighteen months from the date of commitment of said bills, so much of the real estate taxed as will be sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will, without further notice, be sold at public auction, at the store of Charles A. Young, in said town of Waterford, on Saturday the 10th day of January, A. D. 1885, at 3 o'clock p. m.

NAMES.	Lot.	Range.	Acres.	Value.	Tax.	Dep't Highway.	Total.
Henry Cross,	—	—	—	$300	$5.95	$2.50	$8.45
Thomas Austin,	12	5	80	250	3.75		3.75
John Brackett,	10	1	20	100	1.70	.50	2.20
Frank H. Allen,	6	5	54	800	13.60		13.60
Aaron Page,	11	10	160	375	6.38		6.38

CHARLES A. YOUNG,
Treas'r of Waterford.
35.37

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NOTICE!
All those in want of HEADING or NEW BARRELS for packing Apples, please address S. W. CUSHMAN, Lovell Center, Me.

Oxford County Advertiser.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1884.

[Entered as Second Class mail matter.]

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Young's Orchestra.
Coal—W. C. Cole.
Photo. Price List—J. K. Chase, Oxford.
So. Paris Shoe Store—J. A. Kenney.
Carriage for Sale—C. H. Noble.
Non-Resident Taxes, Greenwood.
Messenger Notice.
Two Foreclosure Notices.
A Card.

A CARD.

Mr. & Mrs. Geo. A. Wilkins would take this opportunity to thank their many friends for the valuable and exceptable presents that they have received within the last two weeks.

NORWAY AND VICINITY.

Miss Fannie M. Crooker, of Boston, is visiting in town.

Mrs. O. W. Collins has returned from the Mountains.

Mrs. S. L. Saunders of Lynn is visiting at Samuel Favor's.

Mrs. Dr. Jones and Harry are spending a few days at Old Orchard.

C. H. Noble has a second hand top carriage for sale at a bargain. see advertisement.

Geo. A. Cole's boat house is completed. It is seventy feet long and has ten compartments.

Rev. T. J. B. House and wife of Boston have been visiting at Dr. Tilton's.

Rev. Mr. Pillsbury will speak on the Amendment next Sunday at the Methodist church.

The Democrats in the Norway District nominated William P. French for Representative to the Legislature last Saturday.

Frank Noyes, Charles Sewell Penley, and Oscar Bennett have gone to the Lakes fishing. They went Tuesday and we expect to report a big fish story next week.

Two stalks of Western corn raised by Chas. A. Pride of this town, decorate our sanctum. Each stalk is twelve feet four inches in length and has two tremendous ears.

Owing to the heavy condition of the track from recent rains the horse trot which was to have taken place last Saturday was postponed one week. Several entries have been made and a good trot is expected.

Hon. Nelson Dingley jr., spoke at the Republican meeting Friday evening at Norway Hall on the various subjects connected with the campaign. The music was furnished by Norway Band, who rendered some fine selections.

Wednesday two Cleveland & Hendricks and Redman flags were raised at Norway and now float over Main Street, one near Ai Rowe's residence, and the other in the accustomed place near the old "Bartlett Store."

The Democratic boys of Norway had a flag raising Tuesday night. The flag floats across Bridge Street near the corner of Water Street, and bears the names, Cleveland, Hendricks, and Redman. It was raised amid the booming of cannon and the shouts of the boys.

C. B. Cummings and sons, Steve, George and Ed, and Eugene Warren devoted last week to camping out and fishing. They went into the wilds of the north country and found trout plenty and had a big time. They were gone a week.

To-day (Friday) there is to be a 65 cent fare excursion on the Grand Trunk Railroad, from Norway to Lewiston and return, to attend the Republican Mass Meeting. Trains leave Norway at 12:30 p. m., leave Lewiston to return at 11 o'clock p. m.

Grand race at the Fair Grounds between Norway and So. Paris, Saturday Sept. 6th, at 2 o'clock p. m. This race was postponed from last Saturday on account of rain. Those wishing to enter horses can do so by paying entrance fee to Emerson Kilgore, Norway Lake. Purse $75, divided into four parts, $40, 20, 10 and 5.

Miss Abbie Tate who has been clerking at M. M. Phinney's Dry Goods Establishment the past two years, has severed her connection with the store and has returned to her home in Topsham. Miss Tate has made many friends here, and we are sorry to lose from our village so estimable a young lady. Miss Ada Haskell has taken her place in the store temporarily.

Horace Cole was recently presented with a rare curiosity in the shape of a couple of pieces of Continental paper currency. It is one-ninth of a dollar. It was given to Mr. Cole by Comrade Mark B. Mellenger of Post 60 of the G. A. R. of Pennsylvania. The money was presented to him by Mrs. Krepp Knobb, a lady now living and in the 94th year of her age. She is reported to be the nurse of J. G. Blaine in his infancy.

Rev. J. C. Andrews, who was formerly pastor of the Baptist church in Harrison and is well known in this vicinity, has been visiting relatives and friends in this section. Mr. Andrews went to Florida last October because of poor health. He has been preaching in Winnemissett, Flo., the past winter, but is now supplying the Baptist and Free Baptist churches in New Gloucester, Me., for the summer, where praise worthy success is attending his efforts. He intends to return to Florida in October, having bought about 160 acres of land on which he is to locate. His health is greatly improved.

The Bowdoin College Glee Club assisted by Ada Cary Sturgis was to have given a concert at Norway Hall last Tuesday evening, but as so few went the concert was not given. Perhaps one reason for this is their business manager does not believe in advertising. A little care in this direction would doubtless have helped the affair amazingly. This only proves what we have so often said that the ADVERTISER is the best advertising medium in this section, for in this case though the town was fairly billed it was evident from some reason the greater part of the people did not know there was to be a concert.

The following is what the Gorham *Mountaineer* has to say in the Bethel items about our polo clubs: "Our Rialto boys, the second team, went to Norway last Thursday night as stated in last week's items. There was some objections made to one of the boys playing that went from here, so our boys played with only six men, of course it resulted in a defeat for the Rialtos, and quite a bad one at that. One of the boys said, 'The Norways had it all their own way and why shouldn't they beat, but their second team is smarter than their first team, enough sight.'"

The game of ball at the Fair Grounds Saturday was one sided and uninteresting. The Mechanic Falls are a strong team and the Waterfords may be, but they seemed to be playing for a good time rather than to win the game. Following is the score by innings.

INNINGS.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
Mc. Falls,	8	2	6	2	0	1	9	5	—	33
Waterfords,	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3

Glover, catcher for the Mechanic Falls got a bad hit in the mouth from a foul tip in the seventh inning. The game was umpired by Jack Moore in a creditable manner giving satisfaction to both nines.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pratt and child of Augusta are visiting at Cyrus Tucker's.

Young's Orchestra is in playing order, and will furnish music for parties and dances as usual. See ad.

Miss Lizzie Houghton of Portland, formerly of this village, has been visiting friends here the past week.

Messrs J. A. Roberts and Dancies and Misses Roberts and Weeks have been visiting at Mr. Hermon Horne's.

Mrs. E. E. Andrews, Mrs. John D. Wilson and children, and Miss Emma Andrews have returned from Old Orchard.

Dr. C. E. Evans and George Fogg visited Greenwood Monday. The Doctor shot four partridges, one gray squirrel and one hen hawk.

The best of sporting powder, all kinds. Every variety of shot, paper shells and cartridges for sale at C. H. Mason's hardware store. Call and examine.

C. N. Tubbs & Co. have just received a car load of rock salt. If in want you should call and leave your orders. It is the best salt in town. *

Miss S. Alma Pendexter started from this village, Wednesday, where she has been visiting friends a few days, for Sparta, Wis., where she is to teach the coming year.

George and Frank Howe have gone on a pleasure trip which will include the White Mountains, Quebec, Niagara Falls, Thousand Isles and other places of interest.

Thomas Smiley, who is well known to the dry goods trade in this vicinity, has bargained for a half interest in the firm of Whitcomb & Locke. Mr. Locke is to retire. An account of stock is now being taken.

Wednesday afternoon there was a large gathering of people at the Republican Rally on the Fair Grounds between Norway and South Paris. The speakers were Hon. William Gibson of Ohio, and Hon. J. C. Burrows of Michigan. The Norway, South Paris and West Paris Bands furnished excellent music.

PORTER.

Last week we had a real old fashioned rainy day, which made us think of our childhood days, when we used to play housekeeping with bits of broken crockery in the open chamber, and listen to the pattering of the rain on the roof.

City visitors are quite plenty in the country now.

Walter Coney of Reading, and his sister, Mrs. Alice J. Durgin, of Stoneham, Mass., were our guests one day last week. They are spending their vacation at David E. Bean's in Brownfield.

D. D. Ridlon and wife of this town accompanied by their granddaughter, Miss Treadwell, and Miss Jennie Libby both of Boston, made us a very pleasant call a few days ago. The young ladies have been spending their school vacation with their friends and relatives here.

Eli Rogers wife and child of Charlestown, Mass., are on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Stephen Rounds. Mr. William Ridlon and his two daughters are on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Daniel Durgin, also other relatives in town. Mr. R. came with his own team, being on the road two days from Boston to Porter. Miss Eunice Durgin his neice will return with them to spend a couple of weeks in Boston.

Mrs. Jeremiah Pugsley and her daughter Millie, who have been spending a couple of weeks in Boston, returned Saturday night the 30th well pleased with their trip.

Calvin Pugsley who works in Belmont, Mass., is at home on a visit. He is somewhat run down, but we hope a little quiet and the fine bracing country air will recruit him.

Mrs. Jefferson McDonald and her son Willie of Biddeford, are spending a few weeks at Abner McDonald's. They made us a very agreeable call on Sunday with Miss Abbie McDonald of this town.

In our congratulations to the Record Editor, your compositor made us say "rotic" for romantic, also in the rhymes to the California correspondent the word, so, was left out, which changed the metre. It should have read "good news from friends we hold so dear."

The Brownfield party have returned from their sight seeing, and as there was a reporter among their number, the readers of the ADVERTISER may hear something of their trip later on.

We were glad to hear from "Brownie" again
And learn she has returned to Maine,
Hope she'll call on Porter at an early date
And all her adventures truly relate.

Dr. F. G. Devereux of Kezar Falls, dined with us on Sunday. He tells us that he has decided to give up the practice of medecine for the present except at his office two afternoons in a week, viz; Wednesdays and Saturdays, from 1 o'clock to 6, p. m. He is a young physician of much promise, and all are very sorry to lose his practice.

S. L. H.

SOUTH WATERFORD.

It has been a very quiet summer at the "city." Though there has been quite a lot of private company, the boarders have been scarce. The season is really just beginning at the Pine Grove.

Rev. Dr. McKeown of Lynn, Mass., spent a week at the Bear Mountain House, and preached an eloquent sermon on the Sabbath in the M. E. church. Also Mrs. Humphrey and family, Mrs. Henry Houghton and daughter, Mrs. Sylvester and daughters have made long visits to the old homestead, the Bear Mountain House.

Dr. E. Hamlin of Waltham, Mass., with his family have spent a few weeks at Mrs. Maria Houghton's.

It is very quiet this week for so many have gone to Old Orchard to the Grange Festival. About eighteen or twenty went Monday and more to follow later.

Politics are quiet.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hapgood buried their only child last week.

GILEAD.

The following is a list of those who pay a tax of more than twenty-five dollars:

Eliphalet Adams estate	$38.15
Ebeneza R. Bennett	29.96
Barker R. Bennett	25.74
Geo. Burnham	64.03
M. P. Burbank	28.73
Mrs. Blake and son	35.84
J. W. Bennett	112.98
Solan A. Coffin	33.03
Wm. C. Chapman	72.44
Eben E. Chapman	64.84
Milton L. Evans	51.24
Neal R. Estes	40.47
Abraham B. Larry	43.05
T. G. Larry	57.51
Mrs. D. C. Larry	71.00
Eli T. and Rebecca Peabody	83.78
Wm. R. Peabody	47.55
Levi Philbrook	26.72
Julius P. Skillings	104.37
Henry Wright	30.47
Lemuel Wheeler	31.81
H. P. Wheeler	55.66
Albert D. Wight	38.00
Caleb Wight	45.69

A discount of ten per cent is allowed to all who pay their tax before Jan. 15, 1885.

Last Saturday Woodbury & Purrington ground three hundred bushels of grain in their store mill at Bethel.

KEZAR FALLS.

We are getting some nice showers just what the farmers need to help out corn.

Base Ball is all of the rage just now but the score comes out about the same as did the Pennesseewassees and Ursa Majors in June 1868. In looking over some old Oxford Democrats one dated June 5th said the score stood 102 to 4 in favor of the former.

The mill house is to be moved from South Hiram to Kezar Falls.

The report comes to us that the co-operative store is to be sold.

Kezar Falls has a tailor, a young man by the name of Merrill, who has taken the rooms over F. W. Ridlon's office.

Orrise Mason has another lot of sleighs to make.

James W. Chapman & Son are buying all of the lambs and chickens they can for Stanton of Baldwin.

L. D. Corser of Bridgton has been canvassing for fruit trees in this place.

Fall schools are commencing about here now.

Mr. Foss has returned from his vacation and will speak next Sabbath morning at 10:45, on the Constitutional Amendment. This is one of the most important measures that ever came before the people of Maine and a cordial invitation to be present is extended to all, who do not attend church elsewhere.

At Cornish they are enforcing the "Blue Laws." Might do some good about here. A TRAMP.

HEBRON.

The subscription to Ira Page, who had his barn burned by lightning a short time ago, is very liberal.

Joel Foster and wife are on a visit to Yarmouth.

Mr. Benj. Murch and wife will return to Ohio after a few weeks visit to Mrs. Murch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark W. Foster.

Frank Merrill, son of A. J. Merrill of Islesboro, is on a visit here.

Aaron Cobb and Moses Corbett will try their line fence case before Justice Alfred Cole Sept. 6th.

MILTON PLANTATION.

Blackberries are plenty and by the way we will thank our kind neighbors for the nice lot which have found place on our table.

We are glad to note that Mr. Mitchell is about again. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell seek the privilege through these columns of thanking their friends for the devoted help which came so acceptable in the household and out of doors.

Rev. Mr. Tabor has an appointment to preach at 2:30 o'clock, Sunday, Sept. 7th, in Richardson's Hall.

Sampson Child and wife have gone west. They are both teachers and their ability ought to give them a good position there, for they left such here and will be missed. Mr. Child contemplates the study of law for his profession.

Jim Davis made an effort at hop-picking Friday, but the rain hindered and he returned his female help to their respective homes.

D. C. Swett owns a hen which clucks about with a brood of nineteen chickens. Said hen chose her setting place, also the number of eggs on which to set, being late in the reason is the only thing to hurt the reputation of that hen family.

B. W. Bean is in Upton so low in health that he sent for his wife to come to him.

LOCKE'S MILLS.

As stated before Mr. E. E. Rand cuts the most hay of any man in town. He has finished haying and judges he has cut seventy-five tons.

Jesse F. Libby has a position as teacher in the High School at Mc. Falls. He goes there soon.

Walter B. Rand is not well and has gone to the sea side for repairs.

I noticed E. E. Rand has a new clerk in his store, Mrs. Ralph Rand of Lisbon.

No frost here to do any harm to the crops.

The Spool Mill is shut down for repairs but will start up again soon.

I should judge the Mount Abram House was doing a good business as I saw a stable full of horses the other day.

The man with the White Horse was here a few days ago, stopped two days, and we were pleased to see him.

Mr. Hosea Ripley of Walker's Mills is threshing grain by water power and load after load passes by our place from morning till night. B.

FRYEBURG.

Mr. Fred Fife has returned from Bethlehem N. H.

Miss Grace Warren has gone to Franklin, N. H. with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Robinson.

The summer company are returning to their homes now, numbers of them leaving the boarding houses and hotels every day.

The New Church Sunday School went on a picnic in East Conway last week.

Quite a number of the members of the New Church have attended their annual meeting at Portland.

The Academy opened Wednesday with a large number of students in attendance. The building has been repaired and put in thorough order. The corps of teachers we venture to say is the best in this State and Fryeburg Academy in every way is the leading school in eastern Maine, and is still in the ascendency.

The Diamond Rink, having been enlarged and repaired, was opened to the public last Saturday, a large number were present and pronounced it as nice a rink as they ever saw. It is well lighted, and ventilated, and is supplied with the Winslow skates. Music is furnished by the Fryeburg Brass Band. The Rink will be opened every week during the fall and winter and Mr. Wiley will spare no pains to make it first-class.

Monday night a large company of ladies and gentlemen assembled at the Diamond Rink for a social skate and dance with Mr. C. H. Fessenden as floor manager and Messrs. C. W. Pike, L. M. Walker and G. P. Dexter as aids. An order of six skates and six dances was successfully carried out; music by the Fryeburg Orchestra. Everyone was greatly pleased with the entertainment and those whose vacation is now at an end will long remember the Private Party at the Diamond Rink in the summer of '84. J.

NORWAY LAKE.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Rowe are quite ill. Mr. Rowe is improving.

Mrs. David Frost is very sick. Her death is hourly expected.

Widow Jane Frost was taken ill Tuesday morning.

Alvin Frost's youngest child is dangerously sick.

Roswell Frost's mother is in poor health and one of his children is seriously ill.

Senator Rockwell and family of Washington D. C. are stopping at H. Hathaway's.

Isaac Hussey of So. Boston arrived at the Lake on Tuesday. His health is very poor.

Amos Downing died the the 27th, and was buried at the Center.

BETHEL.

Rev. A. D. Kimball will preach in the Universalist church next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Subject "What doest thou here," 2 Kings xix, 13-15. Also at 7:30 p. m., sermon to the young, subject "Lot's choice," Gen. xiii, 11-12.

Died Aug. 31 the wife of J. M. Freeman aged about 37 years. Mrs. Freeman had been an invalid for more than two years; exemplifying the true christian virtue of patience under tribulation and suffering and expressing a strong desire for the glories of the immortal life. Our sincere sympathies are with our bereaved brother, who will miss the loved one more and more.

Last week was a week of flag raising in Bethel. A Blaine and Logan flag was hoisted to the breeze by Judge Woodbury, across the street near his store and when we saw it the wind had carried it straight up toward heaven. Another was raised across the end of our Common, on Wednesday the 27th, bearing the same names, and the same evening Hon. Nelson Dingley, jr., spoke to our people at Pattee's Hall, assisted by Mark H. Dunnell, esq., on the political issues of the day. The hall was crowded and many could not find room to stand and had to leave the Hall.

The Republican candidate for representative is Mr. Jonathan Bartlett of Stoneham—not Elisha Bartlett, the one armed man as some by mistake suppose.

The Brown Post, G. A. R., No. 84, under general order No. 8, held a Camp Fire and Fair at the Rialto on Friday and Saturday, the 29 and 30 ult. On Friday we had a solid rain nearly all day and also on Saturday morning, yet in spite of the elements Our Comrades gathered and enthused, and succeeded admirably. Clint and others with their drums and Hiram with his fife gave us the best they could and warmed us up between the showers. While the infatigable committee of arrangements—Commander, W. L. Grover; Seignior, H. C. Barker and Junior, J. S. Lane worked with unceasing energy and praiseworthy pluck through the whole affair. Some of the features of the entertainment were a curiosity and war relic department, kindly loaned by Gen. C. S. Edwards and other citizens; an ice cream corner in charge of Mrs. H. C. Barker, to whom the committee are obligated for much planning and hard work; donation table in charge of Mr. A. M. True, S. F. True and Mrs. C. M. Wormwell; fancy table by Mrs. J. S. Lane and Mrs. Waite; and supper table presided over by Mrs. Billings assisted by Mrs. S. F. Gibson and Mrs. A. B. Godwin. After which the large audience was entertained by select readings and declamations by the Misses Alice Chapman, Jennie Gibson and Eva Barker, a whistling song by Mrs. Simeon Sanborn, a song by Mrs. King, of Boston, addresses and declamations by Clint's colored man, who proved to be a full blooded white man in the person of our Barber No. 2; stirring and patriotic speeches by Judge Foster of Bethel and Rev. John Alden of Mass.; tableau by Mrs. E. A. Herrick and Mrs. Hill of Mass. During the entertainment a grand baby show was served up, three old (?) bachelors being chosen as a committee of arrangements, viz, Messrs. D. M. Grover, Dr. C. D. Hill and Dwight Rose, none of whom daring to appear, (it being leap year,) S. F. Gibson, esq., was unanimously chosen to fill their places, which he did with his usual urbanity and good nature yet was not able to decide which should receive the first prize. All were prized so highly and everyone excelling in some grace or lovliness, showing the profuseness of nature in her magnificent gifts. Every baby was in its best mood and best robe and was held and caressed by charming mothers. A subscription paper was got up by Mrs. J. A. Monheimer of New York, headed by herself and Mrs. W. E. Skillings with $5 each on which was subscribed $34. The gross results amounted to $146. The object of this effort was to raise funds for charitable or monumental purposes. We understand the Post has a fund of between two and three hundred dollars deposited in our savings bank, which we fondly hope may at no distant day be expended with other resources of our good citizens in a respectable monument on our common, in honor of those who represented us in the defence of our homes and nation and now sleep the wakeless sleep. The Comrades of Brown Post desire to thank the several committees who assisted in this charitable work and the citizens of Bethel and vicinity generally for their liberal patronage and assistance.

Rev. Mr. Bowler spoke last Sunday from words in 3 John, i, 5, in the Revised Edition. Not being the possessor of a revised testament we are unable to give the exact words of the text.

Isaac L. Rich of Boston, and Newell Rich of Truro, Mass., are visiting J. G. Rich, their cousin, who was at their father's home in Wellfleet fortysix years ago;—

We welcome you from a distant land,
No more a stranger now,
Give us the grasp of generous hand
A brother's welcome show.

As H. R. Godwin was going to his winter camp near Abial Chandler's to get some tools he left there last winter he heard a frightful roaring noise which made his hair rise and lift his hat from his head, and the nearer he approached the camp, the more frightful sounded the noise; but Godwin being a stalwart bear hunter, ventured to open the camp door, when behold an ancient buck so thin and weak that he could hardly stand up. He had entered the camp and by some means shut the door and perhaps been in there several weeks.

We picked up in the vicinity of the G. A. R. Fair last Saturday the following letter which the owner can have by paying charges and proving property;

Bethel, Me., Aug. 29, 1884.

MY DEAR SIR:—We have just visited the letter corner in search of news, and were astounded by the stupendous reports, that Dr. H. has been and still is in search of a wife. Pray do not demean yourself Doctor, by uniting with one of the ladies of Bethel. They are incomparably insignificant with yourself, sir; reminding me of a dark cloud which you in your meteoric brilliancy entirely eclipse. If you are particularly interested in a young lady, make sure she is not a gossip, as we are sorry to say most of the young ladies of Bethel are. Do not die of a broken heart, but remember the words of Shakespeare, "men have died from time to time, and worms have eaten them, but not for love," and be strong in the faith of the ideal woman.

ONE OF YOUR ADMIRERS?

EAST SUMNER.

R. A. Huse & son have gone to the White Mountains.

S. Robinson is shingling his house.

There is a large crew at work on the railroad bridge.

Last evening Hon. J. P. Swasey, H. A. Ellis, mail route agent and others from Canton and this vicinity held a temperance meeting in the hall, and discussed the prohibition principles. Charles Gilbert of Gilbertville was present.

G. M. Park and wife are visiting at W. R. Cary's

Mrs. W. M. Hanson from Portsmouth N. H., is visiting at her aunt's.

DENMARK.

A Democratic meeting and flag raising was held at Denmark last week Thursday afternoon. A large audience was present and addresses were made by D. R. Hastings, A. S. Kimball of Norway, A. O. Pike and E. L. Poor.

WEST PARIS.

E. H. Judkins has a flattering offer from the English publishers, Cassell & Co. of a job suited to his taste, made him by the N. Y. manager, W. J. Holland.

C. H. Lane and family have been visiting in Andover, also A. J. Ricker's family are visiting in the lower part of the state.

Miss Annie Young has gone to Locke's Mills for a permanent stay: also C. E. Stowell thinks of going there to work in the spool mill.

Mr. Stevens and family are to move here from Vermont. They will occupy the house with Mrs. Stevens' father, Mr. Humphrey.

CANTON.

Hon. E. Moody Boynton spoke to a large audience Saturday night last on political topics. Ex-Gov. Perham was present and made remarks. Sunday evening the Ex-Governor spoke at the Baptist church on the Constitutional Amendment.

Corn canning at the factory commenced last Monday.

Mr. John E. Sawyer of Greene has recently paid a visit to H. H. Burbank and family.

The Canton Base Ball Club played a game with the Livermore Falls club last Saturday in this place resulting in a victory for the Cantons.

The Democrats have nominated J. M. Holland of Canton as candidate for Representative from the district composed of Canton, Hartford, Sumner, Greenwood and Woodstock. Mr. H. is chairman of our board of selectmen and supervisor of schools. The Republican candidate was well known a few years ago as one of the proprietors of the Canton Steam Mill.

Rev. Mr. Estin has closed his labors with the Baptist church in this place and returned to his home in Mass.

Charlie Coburn is in poor health.

A Cleveland and Hendricks flag will be raised in this place Friday evening, Sept. 5th, address by Hon. D. R. Hastings of Fryeburg. B.

POLAND.

The camp meeting that commenced Aug. 25th was well attended. Monday there was a large number on the grounds. In the evening Rev. Dr. Allen conducted a social service in the Park St. Chapel. Tuesday there was a severe rain and the exercises were held in the chapel. Rev. Mr. Abbott of East Poland spoke on the subject of "Prayer" in the forenoon, and Rev. A. H. Witham of North Paris preached in the afternoon, Rev. Mr. Manter of Naples in the evening. Wednesday Rev. S. W. Records preached in the forenoon, Rev. Mr. Cummings of Oxford in the afternoon and Rev. G. Holmes in the evening. Everybody was interested in listening to the venerable minister, Rev. Wm. F. Farrington. Thursday Revs. W. T. Jones, Dr. J. W. Bashford of Portland and Rev. Mr. Pillsbury of Norway spoke in the forenoon, afternoon and evening respectively. Friday was another rainy day. The morning sermon was by Rev. H. E. Foss of South Paris, the afternoon by Rev. M. C. Pendexter of Saco, and evening Rev. Mr. Smith of Gorham, N. H. Saturday was centennial day and we understand Rev. Prof. Williams of Portland preached in the forenoon and Dr. Hamilton of Boston in the afternoon. Sunday the sermons were by Rev. F. C. Rogers of Lewiston and Rev. R. L. Green of Boston. The meeting closed Monday morning. The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:—President, Rev. Chas. F. Allen, D. D.; Vice Pres., Rev. W. Jones, Mechanic Falls; Sec., J. C. Davis, Poland; Treas., Gen. J. J. Perry, Portland, Directors, Dr. E. M. Russell, Minot, W. E. Cushman, So. Paris, D. M. Waterhouse, Mechanic Falls, D. D. Sawyer, and L. D. Thomas of Lewiston; Auditor, D. P. Horr, of Westbrook.

WELCHVILLE.

Mrs. J. B. Haley of Boston is stopping with her father, Mr. Hiram Gilbert.

Horace H. Hall and wife of Orange, Mass., is visiting his father.

School commenced yesterday with Miss Mabel Perham of Bryant's Pond as teacher.

W. E. Holmes is out of the store for a few days taking a vacation. Chas. Haskell is working in the store during his absence.

Edward Hammill and wife spent last week at Old Orchard. VOX.

OXFORD.

E. R. Holmes is to exhibit his thorougbred Hereford stock at the State Fair again this year.

Leander F. Wardwell has purchased the Livery and Feed stable, with equipments, formerly owned by his father, and will run it in connection with his stage line. If you wish a good team at a fair price go to Leander every time and you will be promptly accommodated. VOX.

J. K. Chase says in another column this week that he sells plain card photos. clear and bright, for one dollar per dozen, and that he has nineteen elegant styles of fancy scenery for cabinets.

HANOVER.

The school at the village commenced last Monday, Sept. 1, Miss Rose Abbott teacher.

Notwithstanding the rainy weather last Friday eve, twenty couples attended the dance at Union Hall.

An old fox made a descent on Isaac Small's hens and chickens and came near exterminating the whole brood before Isaac could drive him off.

Mrs. Hannah Rolfe had a slight shock of paralysis and has returned to her brother's in Newry.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

Whereas Isaiah Buzzell, late of Stow, in the County of Oxford and State of Maine, deceased, and Joseph Buzzell then of said Stow, now of Fryeburg in said county, by their mortgage deed dated December 7, A. D. 1875, and recorded in Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 62, Page 126, conveyed to me the undersigned certain real estate situate in said Fryeburg, and being part of the so-called John Knight meadow, and bounded southerly and eastrely by Cold River, northerly by land of Benjamin Barbour and westerly by land of Osborne Charles and a Mr. Leavitt, and Little Cold River, so called; and whereas the condition of said mortgage deed is broken, now therefore by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage.

JAMES E. HUTCHINS.

September 5th, 1884.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

Whereas Isaiah Buzzell, late of Stow in the County of Oxford and State of Maine, deceased, by his mortgage deed dated the — day of October, A. D. 1878, acknowledged October 9th, 1878, said mortgage deed being without other date than above stated, and recorded in Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 62, Page 558, conveyed to me, John A. Buzzell, of Bangor, in the County of Penobscot, in said State, certain real estate, situated in said Stow, and being the so called Sarah J, and John E. Buzzell homestead farm, containing two parcels, one of which lies on, and easterly of the road leading from the Harbor, so called, in Fryeburg, in said county of Oxford, to said Stow, and known as the Union Hill Road, and the other lies on, and westerly of said road, and whereas the condition of said mortgage deed is broken, now therefore by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage.

JOHN A. BUZZELL,
by E. C. Walker, his Atty.

September 5th, A. D. 1884.

Election stickers of all kinds and for all parties printed at this office.

BIRTHS.

In Mexico, Sept. 2, to Mr. and Mrs. R. L Taylor, a son.
In Dixfield, Aug. 29, to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Kidder, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

In Norway, Aug. 30, by Rev. A. Wiswall, J. P. Cullinan and Emma Newcomb, both of Norway.
In Harrison, August 27, by Rev. O. Roys, Charles E. Doughty of Naples, and Miss Lizzie A. Pitts of Harrison.
In Sweden, Aug. 30, by Rev. Geo. Haskell, Geo. W. Bennett and Mrs. Martha B. Holden, both of Sweden.
In West Paris, August 22, by Rev. A. H. Witham, C. H. Young of Paris and Annie M. Lurvey of Woodstock.
In Gilead, Aug. 24, by Rev. A. L. Gridley, Brainard C. Burbank of Shelburne and Hortense Mason of Gilead.
In Naples, August 23, Mellen Ridlon and Ellen Carmell, both of Naples.

DEATHS.

In Norway, Sept. 4, Miss Hattie Burnham, aged about 16 years.
In Norway, Sept. 3, Mrs. David Frost, aged 78 years.
In Rumford, Aug. 31, Mrs. Nancy Stevens, aged 77 years.
In South Paris, Aug. 30, infant and only daughter of Amos and Izora Spaulding, aged 6 months.
In Bryant's Pond, Aug. 28, Capt. Charles McKenney, formerly of Greenwood, aged 89 years.
In Bethel, Aug. 31, Mrs. J. M. Freeman, aged about 37 years.
In Poland, Aug. 29, Mrs. Sarah M. Cobb, aged 91 years and 6 months.

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Sept., 1884. 36tf

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NON-RESIDENT TAXES

In the town of Greenwood, in the county of Oxford, for the year 1883.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Greenwood, for the year 1883, in bills committed to William Richardson collector of said town, on the fourth day of August, 1883, has been returned by him to me as remaining unpaid on the twenty-third day of June, 1884, by his certificate of that date, and now remain unpaid, and notice is hereby given that if the said taxes, and interest and charges are not paid into the treasury of said town within eighteen months from the date of the commitment of said bills, so much of the real estate taxed as will be sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will without further notice be sold at public auction, at the office of the Tebbets Manfg. Co. in said town, on the sixth day of March, 1885, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Lands lying in the south part of the town of Greenwood, formerly by the name of Phillips' Academy Grant.

Description of Real Estate.	No. of Lot.	No. of Range.	No. of Acres.	Value.	Tax.
H. J. Hamblin, (or unknown) middle part of	12	1	49	$50	$1.20
Charles E. Dunn, N. half of	6	1	50	40	.96
Heirs of D. H. Crockett undivided half of W. half of	3	4	25	12	.29
J. W. Preble, (or unknown) N. W. part of	4	6	30	50	1.20

E. L. TEBBETS,
Treasurer of the town of Greenwood.
Greenwood, Sept. 1, 1884. 36-38

Carriage for Sale! A second-hand Top Carriage for sale, at a bargain. For further particulars, call at C. W. NOBLES, Norway, Me 36-38

STATE OF MAINE.

OXFORD, ss.—Paris, August 30th, A. D. 1884.

This is to give notice, that on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1884, a Warrant in Insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said county of Oxford, against the estate of Frank A. Thayer, individually and as a member of the co-partnership firm of "South Paris Furniture Company," adjudged to be an insolvent debtor, on petition of said debtor, which petition was filed on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1884, to which last named date interest on claims is to be computed;

That the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law;

That a meeting of the creditors of said debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency, to be holden at Paris, in said county, on the 17th day of September, A. D. 1884, at nine o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.

A. P. STEARNS, Dep'y Sheriff
as Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Oxford. 36-37

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August 22, 1884. 34tf

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Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday,

Oct. 7th, 8th & 9th.

All entries to be made in the name of the owner: if not the premium will be cancelled.

NO. I.—STALLIONS AND BROOD MARES.

Sec. 1 For the best Stallion kept in this County, as a stock horse, the present season, for all business, endurance, docility and pedigree considered, $15, 8, 4....2d. For best stallion for work, as a stock horse, the present season, 10 5....3d. For the best mare brood with foal by her side, 5, 3, 2....4th. For the best three year old stallion, 6, 4, 2. ..5th For best pair matched horses owned by exhibitor three months previous to the Fair, 5, 3, 2.

NO. II.—COLTS

Sec. 1st. For best three year old filly or gelding, $5, 3, 2.....2nd. For best two year old colt, 3, 2, paper....3d. For best one year old colt, 3, 2....4th. For best sucking colt, 2, Paper.

NO. III.—TRIALS OF SPEED.

(Entries in No. 3 close Oct. 6.)

For best gentleman's green driving horse not less than fifteen hands high, $20, 10, 5....Sec. 1st. For best trotting, four years old, 20, 10, 5, (mile heats, best three in five.)....2d. For best trotting, three year old, 15, 10, 5, (half mile heats, best two in three.) (Trotting entries close Oct. 6th.)....3d. For best trotting horse that has no record less than three minutes, 25, 15, 5....4th. For best trotting 2:50 class, 35, 20, 10. ....5th. For best trotting stallion owned and kept as a stock horse in this County during the season of 1884, 40, 20, 10.....6th. 2:40 class, open to all horses having been owned in the state sixty days at least previous to the trot, 40, 20, 10.....7th. Trotting for sweepstakes, open to all horses as 2:40 class, 100, 50, 25. Fifty dollars will be added if the winning horse beats 2:30....8th. Bicycle race, half mile heats, best two in three, 3, 2, 1....9th. Running race to saddle, 15, 10, 5.

In all trotting except Sweepstakes and 2:40 class, horses must have been owned in the county *thirty days* or more. Horses distancing the field or any part thereof, will be entitled to first money only. Trotting under the national rules unless otherwise agreed. Colt race three to enter and two to start. In other races four horses to neter three to start.

NO. IV.—BULLS AND HERDS.

(All exhibitors of thoroughbred animals must furnish pedigree.)

Sec. 1st. For best thoroughbred Durham bull two years old and upwards, $10, 7, 4 Herefords, Devon Jerseys, Ayrshires and Holsteins each, same....2nd. For best grade bull two years old or over, 4, 3, 2.....3d. For best thoroughbred Durham bull one year old, 6, 4, 2 ....4th. Herefords, Jerseys, Ayrshires, Devons, Polled Angus and Holsteins each, same. 5th. For best grade bull one year old and under two, 3, 2....6th For best thoroughbred bull calf, 3, 2, Paper, Herefords, Jerseys Ayrshires, Devons, Polled Angus and Holsteins each same.....7th. For best grade bull calf, 2, Paper.....8th. For best herd of cattle from one farm, not less than twelve in number, consisting of oxen, cows and young stock, 15, 12, 9, 6.

NO. V.—COWS AND HEIFERS.

Sec. 1. For best thoroughbred Durham cow, four years old or over, $6, 4, 2....2d. Same, three years old and under four, 5, 3, 2....3d. Same two years and under three, 3, 2, paper.....4th, Same, one year old and under two, 3, 2, paper.....5th. Same, Heifer calf and under one year old, 2, paper, book. Devons, Ayrshires, Herefords, Jerseys, Polled Angus, and Holsteins each, same.....6th. For best grade Durham milch cow, four years old or over, 5, 3, 2. Devon, Ayrshire, Herefords, Jersey, Holstein and Polled Angus, each, same.....7th. Same, three years old and under four, 3, 2, paper....8th. Same, two years old and under three, 3, 2, paper... 9th. Same, one year and under two, 2, paper, book... 10th. Same Heifer calf, 2, paper, book.

NO. VI.—STEERS.

Sec. 1st. For best yoke three year old steers, $5, 3, 2....2d. For best yoke two year old steers, 4, 2, paper.....3d. For best yoke yearling steers, 3, 2, paper.....4th. For best yoke steer calves, 3, 2, paper.

NO. VII.—MATCHED OXEN AND STEERS.

Sec. 1st. For best matched oxen, $6, 4, 2....2d. For best matched three year old steers, 5, 3, paper. ...3d. For best matched two year old steers, 3, 2, paper.....4th. For best matched yearling steers, 3, 2, paper.....5th. For best matched calves, 2, paper.

NO. VIII.—WORKING OXEN AND BEEF.

Sec. 1st. For best working oxen, five years old or over, $8, 6, 4. ...2d. Same as above, four years old and under five, 5, 3.....3d. For best yoke beef oxen, 6, 4, 2....4th. For best beef cow, 5, 3, paper.

NO. IX.—TOWN TEAMS.

Sec. 1st. For best town team of working oxen, 12 yoke, $20, 15, 10.

NO. X.—TOWN STEER TEAMS, ETC.

Sec. 1st. For best town team of steers, three years old, 8 yoke, $10, 7, 4....2d. For best town team of steers, two years old, 8 yoke, 8, 6, 4.. ..3d. For best trained steers under three years old, by a boy less than fifteen years old, 5, 3, 2.

NO. XI.—SHEEP.

Sec. 1st. For best flock of sheep, not less than fifteen in number, ½ ewes, all owned by one person three months before the Fair, $10, 7, 5.....2d. For best flock of lambs not less than twelve as of sheep, 6, 4, 3...3d. For best Thoroughbred buck of any breed, 5, 3, 2. ....4th. For best grade buck, 4, 2, paper.

NO. XII.—SWINE AND POULTRY.

Sec. 1st. For best Chester Boar, with pedigree, 6, 4.....2d. Berkshire, Yorkshire, Red Jersey, Poland China, Essex, each, same...3d. For best boar, any breed, 4, 3....4th. For best sow of any breed, with not less than four pigs, 4, 2, paper.....5th. For best trio of Asiatic Fowl, paper, .50.....6th. Bantams, Leghorns, Dorkings, Hamburgs, French, Polish each, same.....7th. For best trio Asiatic chickens, paper, .50. ...8th. Leghorns, Hamburgs, French, Polish, Bantams, each, same....9th. For best pair of turkeys, geese and ducks, each, Paper, .50.

NO. XIII.—PLOWING

Sec 1. For best plowing, considering team draft &c., doing the work at the least expense, furrow eight inches deep, sixteen inches wide, $5, 3, Paper....2nd. Same, furrow six inches deep, twelve inches wide, 3, 2, Paper....3d. For best swivel plow by actual experiment, 2, Paper.

NO. XIV.—DRAWING.

Sec. 1. For oxen seven feet and over, $12, 8, 4...2d. For oxen seven feet and over six feet six inches, 10, 7, 4.....3d. For oxen six feet six inches and less, 6, 4, 2...4th. For horses weighing a thousand pounds or more, 10, 7, 4.....5th. Same, for horses less than a thousand pounds, 8, 6, 4,....6. For single horses weighing a thousand pounds or more, 5, 3, Paper.....7th. For single horses weighing less than a thousand pounds, same. Certificate of weight from weigher must be presented to the Committee when weights are considered.

NO. XV.—VEGETABLES.

Sec. 1. For largset and best assortment of garden vegetables, 3, 2, Paper, ...2nd. For best squashes not less than six, $1, .50.....3d. For best Hubbard squashes not less than six, .50, 25...4th. Marblehead, Turban, Boston Marrow, Butman, or any other desirable variety each same.....5th. For best specimens of pumpkins, onions, water melons, musk melons, tomatoes, beets turnips cabbages, carrots cucumbers, each, .50, .25.

NO. XVI.—FARM CROPS.

Sec. 1st. For the best conducted experiment in raising the largest crop of wheat at the least cost on not less than one acre, $10, 8, 5, 3...2nd. Corn, same. ...3d. Crop barley same as wheat, 4, 2. ..4. Rye, same...5th. Oats, same...6th. Do., crop field beans on not less than ¼ acre, 3, 2, Paper....7th. For best specimen winter seed wheat not less than one half bushel, Paper, .75, .50 258th. Spring wheat same...9th. For best trace twelve rowed seed corn not less than thirty five ears, Paper, .75, .50, .25. Same eight rowed....10th. For best trace pop corn not less than thirty five ears, raised by a boy fifteen years old or less, 1, .75, .50, .25.....11th. For best specimen of ½ bushel each of five varieties of potatoes raised by one person, 2, 1, .50. ..12. For same as above, three varieties 1, .50.....13th. For best ½ bushel early Rose, .50, 25.....14th. Early Vermont, Beauty of Hebron, Clark's Favorite, Early Ohio or other desirable variety, each same.....15th. For best conducted experiment in raising a crop of potatoes of the greatest value at the least cost, on not less than one-half acre, 5, 3, 2. ..16. Beets as above, on not less than ½ of an acre, 3, 2, Paper.

Persons competing for premiums on crops of Wheat, Corn, Barley, Rye, Oats, Field Beans, Potatoes and Beets, must make their entries on or before July 15th, 1884, as the premiums have been increased to induce more skillful farming, in place of chance crops. The statement of produce &c., with certificate of measurement of land and crop must be returned to the Secretary on or before Dec. 1. No person can make more than one entry for the same crop.

NO. XVII.—AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

Sec. 1st. For best breaking up plow wherever made, $2, Paper.....2d. For best seed plow, Paper.....3d. For best horse-hoe or cultivator, .50.....4th. For best harrow, .50.....5th. For best farm wagon, 3, 2.... 6th. For best ox-cart, 2, Paper.....7th. For best display of farm implements wherever made, only one premium on same specimen, 12, 8.

NO. XVIII.—CARRIAGES AND FURNITURE.

Sec. 1st. For best covered carriage, $5, 3....2d. For best light open wagon, 4, 2.....3d. For best sleigh, 3, 1,...4th. For best exhibition of furniture, 4, 2.

NO. XIX.—BOOTS SHOES LEATHER AND HARNESSES.

Sec. 1st. For best exhibition of boots and shoes, $2, 1....2d. For best exhibition of leather, 2, 1...3d. For best double harnesses, 5, 3....4th. For best single harnesses. 3, 2.

NO. XX—DAIRY PRODUCTS AND BREAD.

Sec. 1st. For best specimen of factory cheese, $4, 2, 1....For best specimen of sage cheese, 3, 2...2d. For best specimen of domestic cheese, 4, 2, 1. For best specimen of domestic sage cheese, 3, 2.....3d. For best specimen of June butter, not less than five pounds, 5, 3, 2, 1.....4th. For best specimen of fall butter, not less than five pounds, 5, 3, 2, 1.....5th. For best loaf wheat bread with recipe, 2, 1, .50.....6th. For best loaf of wheat bread made by a girl fifteen years old or less, 1, .50.....7th. For best loaf of brown bread with recipe, 2, 1...8th. For best loaf of brown bread made by a girl fifteen years old or less, 1, .50.

NO. XXI.—CANNED GOODS, PRESERVES, PICKLES, SUGAR, SYRUP, HONEY ET.

Sec. 1st. Best variety made and put up by the exhibitor, $1, .15....2d. Best specimen of canned peaches, 15. ..3d. Plums, 25, 15....4th. Strawberries, 25, 15....5th. Raspberries, 25, 15...6th. Cherries, 25, 15....7th. Tomatoes, 25, 15. ..8. Blueberries, 25, 15....9th, Currants 25, 15.....10th. Gooseberries, 25, 15. ..11th. Preserved apples, 25, 15. .12th. Plums, 25, 15.....13th. Pears, 25, 15. ..14. Strawberries, 25, 15...15th. Raspberries, 25, 15....16th. Currants, 25, 15. ..17th. Cherries, 25, 15....18th. Gooseberries, 25, 15....19th. Best jar tomato pickles, 25, 15....20th. Jar assorted cucumber pickles, 25, 15....21st. Bottle tomato catsup, 25, 15.....22d. Jar apple jelly, 25, 15...23d. Grape, 25, 15....24th Currant, 25, 15...25th. Gooseberry, 25, 15. ..26th. Raspberry, 25, 15....27th. Strawberry marmalade, 25, 15. ..28th. Other varieties each, 25, 15. ..29th. Maple sugar, 25, 15....30th. Maple syrup, 25, 15....31st. Honey, Paper, 25, 15.

NO. XXII.—FRUIT.

(Only one premium on same variety to owner.)

Sec. 1. For the largest and most interesting variety of Fruit raised by one person, $6, 4, 2.... 2d. Best specimen winter apples, not less than four varieties, 2, 1.....3d. Best specimen fall apples, as above, 2, 1....4th. Best twelve specimens Baldwins, Northern Spys, Rhode Island Greenings, King of Tompkins Co., Hubbardstons, Porters, Snow apples or Fameuse, Gravensteins, or other desirable variety, each, same. ..5th. Best twelve specimens, any one variety, 1, .50...6th Largest variety and best specimens of Crab apples, .50, .25. ..7. Largest variety and best specimens of pears, not less than four varieties, 2, 1...8th. Best Bartletts, twelve specimens, Clapp's Favorite, Flemish Beauty, Duchess d' Angouleme, Lawrence or other desirable variety, each, same. ..9. Best twelve specimens of any one variety, 1, .50.....10th. Best variety plums, .50, .25....11th. Best collection grapes, four bunches of each variety, 1, .50.....12th. Best four bunches Concord, Rogers 4, Rogers 15, Salem, Delaware, Hartford Profilic or other desirable variety, each, .25.....13th. Best cranberries. 1, .50, .25.

NO. XXIII.—FLOWERS.

Sec. 1st. For best collection of house plants, $4, 2, 1.

NO. XXIV.—KNIT GOODS AND YARN.

Sec. 1st. For best stockings, spun and knit by same person, $.50, .25...2d. Best tidy, 1, .75, .50, .10...3d. Best-made afgan, 1, .50 .25...4th. Best hand-knit gents stockings, .25, .15...5th. Best hand-knit ladies hose, .25, .15. ..6. Best hand-knit ladies skirt, 1, .50, .25... 7th. Best hand-knit childrens skirt, .50, .25....8th. Best hand-knit gents mittens, .25, .15....9th. Best hand-knit ladies mittens, .25, .15...10th. Best hand-knit drawers, 1, .50, .25. ..11th. Best crochet shawl, .50, .25. ..12th. Best crochet sacque, .50, .25. ..13th. Best crochet mittens, .25, .15. ..14. Best crochet collar, .25, .15...15th Best home-made Macrame lace, .25, .15. ..16th. Best home-made knit lace, .25, 15...17th. Best croched lace, .25, .15. ..18th. Woolen yarn, .25, .15.

NO. XV.—DOMESTIC CLOTH, CARPETS AND RUGS.

Sec. 1st. For best ten yards woolen flannel, $2, 1.....2d. Cotton and wool, same....3d. Best ten yards frocking, 2, 1....4th. Best stockings, spun and knit by same person, .50, 25...5th. Best full cloth, ten yards, 1, .50.....6th. Best rag carpet, 1, .50....7th. Best silk, braided or drawn rug, each, 1, .75, .50, .25.

NO. XXVI.—QUILTS, SPREADS AND COMF'S.

Sec. 1st. For best silk quilt, $1, .75, .50....2d. Best calico patch-work quilt, .50, .25.....3d. Best bed spread, 1, .75, .50, 25....4th. Best calico, patch-work comforter, .50, .25.

NO. XXVII.—NEEDLEWORK AND MILLINERY.

Sec. 1st. For best and largest variety of needlework, $2, 1, .50.....2d. Best specimen of embroidery, 1, .50, .25...3d. Best specimen plain sewing by hand, .50, 25...4th. Best specimen plain sewing by hand, by a girl ten years old or less, .50, .25....5th. Best skirt, .50, .25. ..6. Best fine shirt, .50, .25...7th. Best display of millinery goods, 5, 3, 2.

NO. XXVIII.—PAINTINGS PHOTO. WORK AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

NO. XXIX.—MISCELLANEOUS.

AWARDING COMMITTEES.

Stallions and brood mares.—Lovell L. Gardiner, West Sumner; Granville Childs, Canton; Alex. S. Thayer, Paris.

Colts matched and work horses.—George D. Bisbee, Buckfield; Charles Crosby, Norway; Peter M. Holden, West Paris.

Trotting.—John W. Thompson, Canton; Herman L. Horne, Norway; Charles A. Kimball, Rumford Point.

Bulls and herds.—Samuel B. Twitchell, Bethel; Caleb Fuller, West Paris; Ezekiel Merrill, Hebron.

Cows and heifers.—Cyrus S. Hayes, Oxford; Wm. K. Green, Paris; Lambert P. Newton, Andover.

Steers.—Orrin Brown, Norway; George W. Thomas, Oxford; Charles T. Buck, Snow's Falls.

Matched oxen and matched steers.—Wm. W. Hardy, South Paris; Wm. Hall, Norway; John Akers, Andover.

Working oxen and beef.—A. F. Jackson, Norway; S. F. Briggs, South Paris; W. L. Stanton, Oxford.

Town teams.—A. J. Knight, East Rumford; Eliphalet Morrill, West Sumner; J. Madison Russell, Hartford.

Town steer teams and disciplined steers.—George Burnham, Gilead; D. H. Curtis, Woodstock; Wm. Richardson, Greenwood.

Sheep.—J. G. Rowe, Oxford; S. P. Stearns, Paris; S. P. Cushman, Hebron.

Swine and Poultry.—Henry W. Coy, Welchville; P. G. Lovering, South Paris; George E. Smith, Hanover.

Ploughing.—Francis P. Putnam, East Rumford; Julius F. Fuller, Oxford; Leander S. Swan, South Paris.

Drawing.—John Dunham, Buckfield; John N. Baker, Waterford; Roscoe Tuell, West Paris.

Vegetables.—H. E. Hammond, Paris; S. D. Edwards, Oxford; Alvarado Hayford, Canton.

Farm crops.—George E. Gibson, Norway; Jairus K. Hammond, Paris; Albert Witham, Oxford.

Agricultural implements.—George F. Hammond, Paris; Isaac P. Bearce, Hebron; Gilman L. Blake, Bethel.

Carriages and furniture.—John H. Wardwell, Andover; James D. Williams South Paris; A. J. Nevers, Norway.

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Miscellaneous.—Horatio A. Cushman Hebron; Mrs. Freeland Howe, Norway; Mrs. George F. Hammond, Paris.

NOTICES.

Arrangements are expected to be made with the railroads, to convey passengers to and from the Fair at reduced rates.

Any animal may be offered for sale or to exchange, by attaching the OWNER'S NAME, PRICE OR TO EXCHANGE, which will be admitted free. Persons caring for or owning this stock must furnish all feed and pay their admission. This will give an opportunity to buy, sell or exchange all kinds of stock.

Persons desiring to see their goods placed on exhibition in the Hall, can be admitted free only on Tuesday, the first day of the Fair.

All persons entering neat stock, sheep or swine, shall receive ten cents a mile for the distance traveled over six miles. on each premium. The mileage to be reported by the Trustees

All land on which crops claiming premiums grew, must be measured by a disinterested person, and the product must be measured by some disinterested person, and both certified to by that person, before any officer of the Society.

It is important that all persons intending to apply for premiums, carefully examine the rules and prize list to fully understand what their duty is, and note that they must begin this spring with a design to obtain premiums, and keep a strict account of all expenditures in labor, as well as in money.

Claimants for premiums and committees are earnestly requested to pay particular attention to the 13th section of chapter 58 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, which provides that, "It shall be the duty of every Agricultural Society applying for the bounty of the State to require all competitors for premiums either upon animals, crops, dairy products, improvements of soil or manures, a full and acurate statement of the process or method of raising, managing, producing, and accomplishing the same, together with its cost and value."

Paper for premium, *The Live Stock Monthly*, for one year.

Tickets for admission may be had at the Secretary's Office, for fifteen cents each; children ten cents each; horse and carriage twenty-five cents.

Members of Committees are requested to call at the Secretary's Office, where they can obtain free tickets which will admit them during the Fair. Editors and publishers will be admitted free; also delegates from State and County Societies.

RULES FOR EXHIBITORS.

All articles will be entered and in their places on Wednesday, the second day, before 9 o'clock, a. m., if possible.

All entries will positively close at ten o'clock, a. m., on Wednesday, the second day, except on trotting horses, which close Oct. 6th. No animal will be entitled to a premium unless it is on the grounds before ten o'clock a. m., on Wednesday, the second day. It will be necessary to exhibit neat stock only on the second day. No animals can be taken from the grounds until 4 o'clock, p. m., of the second day.

Premiums not to be paid out during the Fair, but paid out at the Grounds, Oct. 11, 18, 25, and Nov. 1st, in the p. m. of those days, and will be forfeited if not called for one year from Jan. 1, following the Fair.

No person shall draw a premium, except minors or ladies, or on horse trotting, without becoming a member of the Society.

No animal shall be entered for more than one premium; except on horses or town teams.

Each person on entering a horse or colt, will be required to pay (at the time of entering) ten per cent of the premiums for which such horse or colt is entered.

The Society will not be responsible for the omission of any articles or animals not entered according to rules.

All animals or articles brought for exhibition must have cards attached, with the number as entered at the Secretary's Office, and placed in such a part of the show grounds as shall be designated by persons or placards, showing at what time such animals or articles will be examined by the Committees, that the exhibitors may have an opportunity to satisfactorily show whatever they may exhibit; and the exhibitors; in all cases, shall obtain their cards of the Secretary or Entry Clerk, previous to placing their animals or articles on the show ground. There shall also be similar cards attached to pens containing animals, and stating the particular breed (if thoroughbred, the pedigree must also be attached to the pens, in a conspicuous place) so as to be easily read by the spectators.

The several competitors are required to give full written statements, where statements are required under the several departments, as such statements are important in aiding the Judges in making the awards, and are required by law.

Special care will be taken by the Trustees to preserve safely all articles and stock on exhibition; but they will be responsible only for damage that may occur through any neglect of theirs during the Fair, and no longer; exhibitors will therefore give attention to their articles, and at the close of the Fair attend to their removal.

No article or animal entered can be removed from the buildings before the close of the exhibition, at 4 o'clock the last day; and no premiums will be paid on articles removed in violation of this rule.

Persons entering horses and breeders if not less than three years old, will be required to show at least one specimen of their stock to entitle them to premium.

No animal, except entries in town teams, will be entitled to more than one premium, and such animals will be entitled to two premiums only.

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Pomphey Graham, of Montgomery, N. Y., died Aug. 28th aged 119 years.

The steamer Rose Standish was struck by a tug-boat in Boston Harbor Thursday and sunk in ten minutes. She left Rowe's wharf for the regular trip to Strawberry Hill. There were 125 passengers on board. All were safely landed.

The Pleasant House at Old Orchard was burned last Friday. It was built about two years ago at a cost of $26,000. Insured $11,000.

A Circus sleeping car containing 60 men was burned Thursday about midnigh, at Greeley, Col. Several of the men were burned to death, and others sereously injured.

Gen. Sheridan was the guest of the of the veterans at Weirs, N. H., Thursday 28.

An empty balloon was discovered Friday about a mile at sea, off Wells Beach, and towed in by two fishermen.

A fatal case of yellow fever is reported at the New York hospital. The victim was unknown in the city, and was picked up in the street in an unconcious condition. Nothing was found on his person to indicate his idenity.

Last week Frank Waltzman of Dayton, O., died from starvation. He had worked at shoveling gravel all last week and was brought home in a wagon on Saturday night unable to walk. He had a wife and seven children and the family had been without food for nearly two weeks. His wife tells a horrible story of his death, saying that while he lay dying his children surrounded his couch and sobbed piteously for bread.

The transfer steamer Belmont, in the Ohio river, near Evansville, Ind., was capsized by the hurricane Thursday and fifteen lives lost.

Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes celebrated his seventy-fifth birthday, Aug. 29th.

Figures based on official reports made within a few days by state agricultural departments and statistical agents in the different states and territories show a total production of winter wheat to be 380,000,000 bushels, and the total spring wheat 150,000,000; the total of winter and spring, 530,000,000 bushels. This makes the total yield of the country fully 25,000,000 bushels more than ever before produced; 130,000,000 more than last year's crop, and 80,000,000 more than the average crop for the last five years.

The business failures throughout the country the last seven days prior to Aug 29th, is for the United States 180; and for Canada 16; total 196, against 219 last week, a decrease of 23.

There were four executions of murderers in Louisiana and Alabama Friday.

The Pigeon Indians are dying of starvation at the rate of one per day.

The Washington Monument site does not belong to the United States as was supposed, but in 1848 was conveyed to the Washington Monument Society by President Polk and others acting with him.

The French began to bombard the Mengan forts, Tuesday, and kept up the fire until the Chinese guns were silenced. A dispatch to the Times Thursday says the Kinpat forts have been destroyed. Wednesday the defences at Foo Chow were destroyed by the French, and the natives have burned the foreign quarter.

The Grand Trunk is expected to withdraw from the freight pool and cut rates.

Assistant Postmaster Camp of Boston has been removed from office.

The mail pouch filled with letters, from New York for the towns in the vicinity of Palmer was left on the track in the station at Palmer, Mass., and stolen Wednesday night. The contents were found Thursday on a hill opposite the village, scattered about. Over a thousand letters have been opened. There is no clue to the robbers and the amount of valuables in the contents is not known. The postmaster has orders to repair the letters as best he can.

The clergy have started a monster demonstration in every church throughout Spain in favor of the temporal power of the Pope. The first signatures to the address includes leading prelates and nobles of Spain.

Charles Tanner of Barrington, N. H. was committed to the State Insane Asylum at Concord, he being alleged to be insane while attempting to take the lives of Mrs. Howard and others at Barrington Wednesday. Some time since John Waldron's house and barn were burned, it was supposed accidentally. Tanner surprised the court by saying that he planned the burning and there were also other buildings he proposed burning. The Judge ordered him committed to the insane asylum Tanner protested and wanted to be committed to the State Prison, preferring it to the asylum.

At O'Fallon, Ill., Thursday a Mrs. Crowther in a fit of passion, murdered Mrs. Crowac, a neighbor, and then in remorse, killed herself.

It is now said that the forgeries of Joseph M. Pease, the New York fruit importer, exceed $100,000, and that several banks are sufferers.

The French press is full these days, of assaults upon England.

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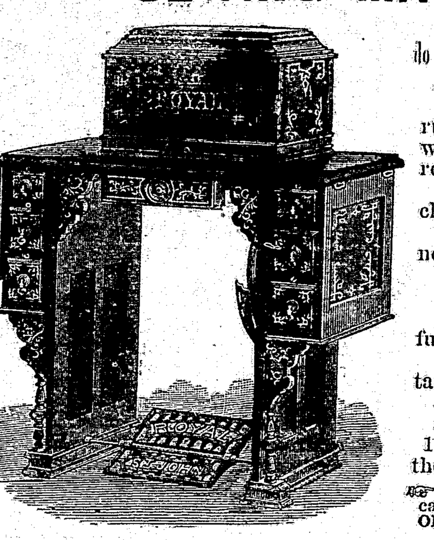
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